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BITTER FIGHTING IN SHANGHAI AREA

MEDICAL RELIEF WORK IN CHINA WAR

Illuminating Talk By
Dr. W.S. Fu
YESTERDAY'S RECEPTION

The Hong Kong Chinese Medical Association were hosts at a reception given at the Chinese Merchants' Club last evening in honour of Drs. W. S. Fu and C. Y. Wu, of Shanghai. Dr. Li Shu-pui, president of the Association, welcomed the guests on behalf of his colleagues, and there were also present Dr. Wu Lien-teh, the famous plague prevention expert and Director of the Chinese National Quarantine Service, the Hon. Dr. Li Shu-fan, and Drs. Ma Luk, W. K. Pok, Arthur W. Woo, Chau Wai-cheung, F. I. Tseung, Edward Sun, Eva Ho Tung, S. N. Chau, T. C. Wong, T. Y. Li, S. F. Cheung, Y. K. Wong, L. S. Shin, K. C. Cheng, C. W. Lam, P. I. Chan, K. D. Ling, N. P. Karandja, K. T. Loke, H. C. Tan, K. F. Ko, Y. Y. Tang, K. C. Cheam and K. L. Cheung.

The Chairman said: On behalf of the members of the Association, I take great pleasure in welcoming two well-known doctors here this afternoon.

Dr. W. S. Fu, as you know, is the Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Chinese Medical Association of Shanghai, but you may also be interested to know that he is also Chairman of the Medical Relief Committee of the Association, of the Medical Supply Committee, of the Shanghai Emergency Medical Relief Committee, and Chairman of the Medical Supply Department of the International Red Cross Committee in Shanghai.

His experiences in Shanghai will be needed in Hong Kong for guidance in our future work of medical relief.

Dr. C. Y. Wu is no stranger amongst us. A distinguished

graduate of the University of Hong Kong, his work on preventive medicine has benefited China a good deal. Now he is staying in Hong Kong to represent Dr. J. Heng Liu of the Ministry of Health and also head of the Chinese Red Cross. While he is here I am sure we shall do our best to assist him in whatever way he desires. (Applause.)

PRESENT CRISIS

Dr. Fu, called upon to address the meeting, gave an illuminating and informative account of medical relief conditions since the beginning of the crisis. He said that the war was thrown upon China all so suddenly that the Shanghai medical profession found itself quite unprepared to cope with the large number of casualties both amongst soldiers and the civilian population.

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CITY ROCKS FOLLOWING BIG EXPLOSIONS IN POOTUNG, CHAPEI SIKHS AND CHINESE INJURED BY INCENDIARY BOMB

Japanese Armoured Train Engages
Chinese Troops

SINO REINFORCEMENTS POUR INTO
TACHANG

SHANGHAI, OCTOBER 22: THE HEAVY FIGHTING WHICH BEGAN LAST NIGHT WITH CHINESE ATTACKS ON ALL SECTORS CONTINUES UNABATED WITH THE JAPANESE FLINGING ALL THEIR WEAPONS AGAINST THEIR ADVERSARIES. THE JAPANESE CLAIM TO HAVE OCCUPIED KWANGFU, FIVE MILES NORTH-WEST OF TACHANG BUT THE CHINESE, HOWEVER, DISPUTE THIS AS BEING FANTASTIC AND ASSERT THAT THEY CAPTURED FOUR VILLAGES EAST OF KWANGFU AND THUS RELIEVED THE PRESSURE ON TACHANG BECAUSE THE JAPANESE WERE FORCED TO SHORTEN THEIR SALIENT.

CHINESE PLANES MADE FIVE APPEARANCES DURING THE NIGHT AND DROPPED BOMBS IN THE YANGTSEPOO AREA. JAPANESE PLANES AWAITED TILL DAWN AND THEN BEGAN EXCEPTIONALLY SEVERE BOMBING, TREMENDOUS EXPLOSIONS IN POOTUNG AND CHAPEI ROCKING SHANGHAI. A CHINESE SHELL STRUCK THE BRITISH-OWNED PEARCE APARTMENTS IN BOONE ROAD, HONGKONG DISTRICT, AND TORE A HOLE IN THE WALL.—REUTER.

Shanghai, October 22: Five Sikhs and twenty-five Chinese were removed to hospital suffering from burns as the result of a small incendiary bomb which in the course of Japanese bombing fell in the United States defence sector. Sergeant John R. O. Coleman, U.S.N., and Marine Atkins, of the U.S.S. Arkansas were burned about the hands when helping a Chinese man whose clothes were on fire. There have been no fatalities up to the present but some of the injured are not expected to recover.—REUTER.

Shanghai, October 22: A day of bitter fighting in which both sides claimed advances was climaxed with a Chinese air raid early this evening. The Japanese persist in claiming the occupation of Kwangfu, the Chinese denying the claim. Meanwhile Chinese reinforcements continue to pour into Tachang. The Japanese who recently offered a dollar for every Chinese soldier surrendering jumped their bid to five dollars in leaflets showered from the air. A Japanese spokesman states that the Chinese divisions in Shanghai consist of four of General Han Fu-chu's, two of the Central Government's and four formerly belonging to Marshal Chiang Hsueh-liang.—REUTER.

Peking, October 22: A Japanese armoured train on the Taihu railway on reaching a point a thousand metres north of Yuchang in Shantung exchanged fire with Chinese troops entrenched in the vicinity of the railway station according to a Japanese report from Tachow. The train then withdrew across the Tuhai River to its base. It is stated that in order to impede the Japanese advance the Chinese destroyed the bank of the Tuhai River flooding the countryside between Chang-chuang and Yuchang.—REUTER.

COOLIES REFUSE TO WORK LOCAL SHIP

Believed Cargo Was
For Japan

Under the impression that the cargo they were loading was intended to be shipped to Japan, over 60 coolies refused to work the s.s. Hai Tan. The cargo comprised tins of Kerosene and petrol which were to be shipped to Swatow, Foochow and Amoy.

It was learned that the Texas Oil Co. Installation had engaged 120 coolies to load onto the Hai Tan. A commotion was caused among the 60 coolies who turned up when it was alleged that someone had informed them that the cargoes were meant for Japan. On hearing the rumour the coolies immediately stopped work.

Another incident of a similar nature took place yesterday at Connaught Road West on a junk where a number of coolies were unloading wolfram ore to be stored in a godown. It was alleged that the ore was to be sent to Japan.

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MODERN MIRACLE IN CHINA

Acclaimed By World

SECRET OF SUCCESSES AGAINST
JAPANESE AGGRESSION

FAMOUS STATESMAN INTERVIEWED

A DISTINGUISHED VISITOR TO HONG KONG AT THE PRESENT TIME IS MR. CHEN SHU-YEN, A FORMER GOVERNOR OF KWANGTUNG PROVINCE UNDER DR. SUN YAT-SEN'S REGIME, AND NOW HOLDING AN IMPORTANT POST IN THE EXECUTIVE YUAN OF THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT OF CHINA AT NANKING.

Mr. Chen is the President of the Commission of Overseas Affairs in Nanking and is on his way to Manila personally to convey the thanks of the Central Government to the Chinese of the Philippines for their generous help to the mother country during the period of the present crisis as well as at other times since the National Government was inaugurated. This will be Mr. Chen's first visit to Manila and he is keenly looking forward to it. He is accompanied by Mr. Lee How Chu, a former Chinese Consul-General in Manila, and Mr. Liu Yik Lung, his private secretary.

Mr. Chen in addition to being a Chinese Statesman of repute is an artist of international distinction. Specimens of his work are to be found in the national academies of practically every European nation. In China he is recognised as one of the country's greatest living painters.

A man of charming personality, Mr. Chen is one of those many great men of China who are the very personification of simplicity and when a "Daily Press" representative visited him on the Victoria yesterday afternoon he received the pressman with all the charm and cordiality usually accorded to an old friend. That is the secret of the popularity of Chinese statesmen the world over.

Mr. Chen freely discussed the Sino-Japanese war and without minimising the gravity of the situation so far as China is concerned, unhesitatingly declared that with the goodwill of the world the Chinese people had every confidence of emerging victorious from the ordeal through which the country was passing.

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DEATH OF MR. C.E. FRITH

Was Formerly Chief
Sanitary Insp.

RETIRED IN 1933

It is with deep regret that we record to death of Mr. Charles Edward Frith, I.S.O., formerly Chief Inspector of the Sanitary Department, Hong Kong, whose death occurred in London on Thursday, cabled advice being received in the Colony yesterday.

The late Mr. Frith went home on pension in 1933 after over 30 years' faithful service in the Government. During his period of office, Mr. Frith endeared himself to all with whom he came in contact. He was very popular and a valuable servant and news of his passing will be received with widespread regret.

The late Mr. Frith is survived by his widow and four children who are in England, and a married daughter, Mrs. Prew, wife of Mr. A. G. F. Prew, Assistant Master at the Diocesan Boys' School, to all of whom much sympathy will be extended in their bereavement.

U.S. PRIEST STILL IN CAPTIVITY

Ransom Demand
Reiterated

Peking, Oct. 22.

A Chinese altar-boy, kidnapped with the American priest, Fr. Donovan, was released by the bandits at Chingyuan and arrived at Fushun with a note reiterating the demand for \$50,000 as ransom. He said that Fr. Donovan was well treated but lacked proper food. Japanese military authorities profess hopes of an early release.—REUTER.

KING'S SPEECH

His Majesty the King's speech at the prorogation of Parliament will be read on Page 9. In his speech, His Majesty trusts that the Nine-Power Conference may contribute to bring the deplorable Sino-Japanese conflict to an end.

Governor's Official Visit To Macao

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, Mr. N. L. Smith, C.M.G., accompanied by his A.D.C., Capt. G. P. Rickard, and private secretary, Mr. H. J. Crutwell, paid an official visit to Macao yesterday.

They left shortly before 8 a.m. yesterday by the H.M.S. Falmouth, the Admiral's Yacht, and were seen off by the Portuguese Consul-General, Signor Alvaro Brilhante Laborinho, at Queen's Pier. In Macao, they had luncheon at Government House with the Governor of Macao. After taking a

motor drive around the Portuguese Colony, they left for Hong Kong by the Falmouth, arriving here at 7 p.m. in the evening.

The visit had no political significance and was suggested several months ago and approved by the Secretary of State for the Colonies. Its postponement had been due to the situation in China but, as no such visit had been paid since 1933, the Secretary of State was anxious that this courtesy should, if possible, not await the arrival of Sir Geoffrey Northcote, the Governor-Designate of Hong Kong.

13 JAPANESE PLANES OVER NANKING

Nanking, Oct. 22.
Thirteen Japanese planes visited the capital this afternoon and bombed the aerodrome at Pukow. The bombing was less severe than the previous raids as smaller bombs were used.—REUTER.

CIVILIAN HOUSES DESTROYED

Shanghai, Oct. 22: Japanese warships anchored in the Whangpoo opened a terrific bombardment on the Chinese positions at Pootung for one hour this afternoon.

Chinese Headquarters claim that their defences were not damaged but scores of civilian houses were destroyed.—CENTRAL NEWS.

TWO PASSENGERS KILLED

Japanese Attack
Train With
Machine-Gun Fire

Canton, Oct. 22: The Kowloon-Canton and the Hankow-Canton Railways were both bombed by Japanese planes to-day. The former was hit in three places near Cheungchuktau. It is understood that the damages will be repaired very shortly. Twenty-three Japanese planes flew over Canton at 11 a.m. and heavily bombed the Hankow-Canton line. The planes also machine-gunned another train killing two Chinese passengers.—REUTER.

JEAN BATTEN

Karachi, Oct. 22:—Jean Batten left here early this morning for Cyprus after stopping for three-quarters of an hour at Basra.—REUTER'S BULLETIN SERVICE.

Japanese Will Change Tactics

Shanghai, Oct. 22.
According to Chinese evening papers, General Hajime Sugiyama, Japanese Minister of War, summoned a conference of his departmental heads at Tokyo yesterday for a meeting concerning the military situation in North China and Shanghai in view of the alleged reverses during the last two days.

It is stated that the Japanese will change their tactics and strategy in North China, but no concrete measures were formed.

With regard to the revolutionary activities in Korea, General Jiro Minami, commanding Japanese troops in Manchuria, is ordered to keep a strict watch of the activities of the revolutionaries.—INTERNATIONAL NEWS AGENCY.

TO-DAY'S RACES

Final Selections

BY "LAST QUARTER"

RACE 1—2 P.M.

Oak Bay.
Gladiator.
Wild Life.

RACE 2
Lancashire Chips.
Able Amazon.
Centre Court.

RACE 3
Expansion Time.
Havoc Eve.
King's Coronation.

RACE 4
Boat Day.
Soldier of China.
King's Lead.

RACE 5
Tabby Cat.
Yum Sing.
Ebony Idol.

RACE 6
Discovery Bay.
Brutus.
Twilight Star.

RACE 7
Ythan.
Gold Coin.
Valorous.

RACE 8
Centre-forward.
Amberley.
Night View.

DAILY DOUBLE
Tabby Cat and Ythan.

JAPANESE DRIVE HELD UP

By Sino Communist
Forces

Shanghai, Oct. 22: After fierce hand-to-hand fighting, Japanese troops have broken the Chinese resistance at Hsankow mountains, in Shansi, according to a report from Yuanping. The message also adds that the southward drive by the Japanese to Taiyuanfu, which was held up in this region by Chinese communist forces for more than a week is now expected to be speeded up.—REUTER.

GIRL INJURED

Chan Mong, a girl, was sent to the Kowloon Hospital for treatment for injuries sustained as a result of a fall while alighting from a bus while it was in motion in Waterloo Road.

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THE MILWAUKEE ROAD

JUNK SINKING INQUIRY CONCLUDES

More Experts Give Evidence

Expert evidence given by Mr. V. C. Branson, Government Analyst, and Police Inspector A. L. Hopkins, an expert on arms and ammunition, at the final hearing of the enquiry into the mercurial shelling and sinking of a fleet of Chinese fishing junks, allegedly by the hands of a malicious Japanese submarine crew, revealed that a bullet extracted from one of the victims was of the type known as incendiary.

The inquiry was conducted by a special Government appointed Commission comprising His Honour the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor (Chairman), the Harbour Master, Hon. Commander J. B. Newill, and Mr. Justice J. A. Fraser. Mr. J. C. McDouall acted as Secretary to the Commission, whilst Mr. John Whyatt, Assistant Attorney General, was in charge of witnesses.

It is understood the Report of the Commission will be ready in two or three days' time.

Mr. V. C. Branson, Government Analyst, said he received a fragment of a bullet from Inspector Hopkins two days ago. With the assistance of Inspector Hopkins he removed the envelope on the outside of the bullet and found inside a copper tube containing some whitish substance which he analysed. The substance consisted of barium, magnesium, carbonate and hydrate.

Mr. Whyatt: "Can you express any opinion as to how that substance in its present state has been formed?—It can be formed and would be the end-product from the interaction of barium, peroxide and magnesium after exposure to air."

"FAST COMBUSTION"

What type of interaction would you call that?—A fast combustion.

All you can say is that, in your opinion, the original substance consisted of peroxide, barium and magnesium?—Yes.

What is it used for?—It is a standard mixture for tracer bullets—an incendiary bullet.

What is its primary function?—It is used to cause heat and flame.

Can you express any opinion as to the heat which might be generated by igniting this mixture?—I cannot say exactly, but I know it is used to ignite thermite which requires a high temperature to ignite it—at least 1,000 degrees in round figures.

ARMS EXPERT

Inspector A. L. Hopkins, in charge of arms and ammunition of the Police Force, said he had held that appointment since last year. Prior to that he was musketry instructor to the Police for four years, and had considerable experience of fire arms, having studied for 20 years, both theoretically and practically.

Witness was handed a piece of metal by Mr. Whyatt, who asked: Have you examined this piece of metal carefully? (The metal was taken out of a man by Dr. Bai at the Kwong Wah Hospital).—Yes.

Can you express any opinion as to the origin of this piece of metal?—It is very difficult to be definite but it is consistent with its being a shell splinter; also it could possibly be part of a larger piece of metal other than a shell.

In any event it is consistent with a shell splinter?—Yes, that is

about all I can tell you about that piece of metal.

Handing the witness another exhibit, part of a bullet, Mr. Whyatt asked: Can you express any opinion as to whether that bullet has been fired?—Yes.

Why do you say that?—Because there were four rifling marks impressed on the envelope—four lands and grooves with a right hand twist.

Do those marks enable you to form any opinion as to the kind of weapon from which that bullet was fired?—They are common to a machine gun of the Lewis gun type.

UNUSUAL BULLET

Is that an unusual type of a bullet in your experience?—It is.

Why do you say that?—Because of the copper tube inside of which Mr. Branson and I found a whitish substance.

Can you tell me from your knowledge of ammunition of all kinds, what would be the object of making a bullet with a copper tube and filling it with powder?—To make a tracer bullet, an incendiary bullet, or, possibly, an explosive bullet.

Chairman: Inspector Hopkins, you said a few moments ago that from the lands and grooves you found on the end of that tube, you have formed that it was fired from a machine-gun of the Lewis gun type?—Not exactly; it is common to the machine-gun type.

Mr. Whyatt informed the Commissioners that the remaining witnesses could not be located as they had found new employment in fishing junks. Strenuous efforts had been made by the Police to locate them but so far without success. He was certain that if further time could be spared these witnesses could be found, but in view of the urgency of the report he did not propose to ask for an adjournment. All the witnesses who were available had been called and he trusted that the evidence which had been adduced would be of assistance to the Commission in arriving at its conclusions.

Chairman: I should like on behalf of my colleagues as well as for myself to thank you, Mr. Whyatt, for the very great assistance you have given us in presentation of the case and marshalling of the evidence.

The Commission then retired.

NO BLAME ATTACHED MAILS FOR REFUGEES

An important witness who had been absent from Court thus holding up the inquiry into the circumstances surrounding the death of a female earth carrier, Li Ah-ku, who died on October 1, appeared under police custody before Mr. K. M. A. Barnett, who sat as Coroner, at the Kowloon Police Court yesterday, to give his version of the incident.

The following jury was empanelled:—Messrs. A. W. Gibson (foreman), Chung Kam-tong, and Lam Yan-wing. Inspector W. J. Russell and Detective Sgt. MacPherson represented the police.

In evidence, the witness, Chan Ching, said that she was with deceased, picking up firewood in the woodyard. A man who was identified as Ho Chiu, was in charge of the yard and when he saw deceased stealing the wood, he picked up a piece of mortar and threw it at her. He then snatched the fragments of wood from deceased.

Witness also said that after some argument between deceased and Ho the former sat down on a beam which was about two feet high. Deceased remained there, sitting for a few minutes, and suddenly took ill and slipped off the beam onto the ground. An ambulance was then summoned but it was too late to save her. She died shortly before the arrival of the ambulance.

After weighing the evidence, the jury returned a verdict of death by misadventure and added that Ho was not responsible for the misfortune.

Letters are lying at the Poste Restante, General Post Office, for the following:—

Mrs. H.E. Aiers, Mrs. M.M. Al-labb, Mr. Beaumont, Mrs. L. Bick, Mrs. A. L. Bigge, Miss E. Craig, Mrs. A. E. Fraser, Master Ralph Joseph, Mrs. W. A. McClelland, Mrs. E. Moran, Mrs. L. Page, Mrs. S. Page, Miss M. Rogers, B.A. Stenesbecher, Mrs. Tomlinson, Mrs. H. Traszke, Mrs. J. E. Walker, Wm. Wood.

STOLE BRASS FITTINGS FROM SHIP

Li Choi, 30, was given a month's hard labour by Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy yesterday when he admitted stealing a quantity of brass fittings from the Talkoo Dockyard on Thursday. Mr. Boulton of the Dockyard said the metal had been taken from the s.s. Van Heutz, from which there had recently been a few such thefts.

Ho Kwong, 38, sustained injuries to the body for which he was sent to the Kowloon Hospital when a box of ammunition he was carrying at Stonecutters Island on Tuesday slipped and fell on him.

Ho was discharged under a special ordinance.

VARIETY CONCERT

In Aid Of War Relief Fund

A variety concert organised by Mrs. Ann Ellis under the auspices of the Y's Men's Club of Hong Kong in aid of their Emergency War Relief Fund, will take place at the Queen's Theatre on Nov. 17 at 9.30 p.m.

Many prominent performers will take part, amongst whom is Miss Delle Ellis, Shanghai's leading personality entertainer, who won the K.M.H.A. Amateur Contest this year. Others contributing to the programme are George Goncharoff, the well-known ballet exponent and teacher, and a few of his pupils, Gaston D'Aquino, "Stepin Fetchit," and Jack Grenham, who will be master of ceremonies. In addition, there will be a novel attraction in a fashion show arranged by Madame Chiffon at which the gowns will be modelled by many of the Colony's attractive debutantes.

A detailed programme will be available shortly, but booking is now open at the theatres, and tickets may be obtained there or from members of the Y's Men's Club at \$4, \$3, \$2 and \$1.

ALLEGED FORGERY

On the application of Chief Detective-Inspector J. Murphy, Mr. R. Edwards granted three days' remand at the Central Magistracy yesterday in the case in which So Huen, alias So Suen, alias P. C. So, 23, unemployed, is charged with having between January 8 1936 and April 9 1937 forged a promissory note purporting to have been made by the Yee Hop firm of No. 10 Tai Wong Street, Wanchai, and with uttering the same. Bail of \$1,000 was allowed.

AMAH SENTENCED FOR RECEIVING

An amah, Chan Yee, aged 45, was sentenced to a total of six months' hard labour by Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy when she appeared on charges of

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receiving a metal wrist watch and a jade gold mounted tie-pin and of illegally pawning the pin. It was stated that the defendant was employed on the floor beneath that of the complainant, Mr. Chan Pak-tim, of No. 2 Fanning Road, and had received the articles from a boy, who had been dealt with in the Juvenile Court.

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PAGE FOR THE CHURCHES

CATHOLIC NEWS AND NOTES

Mission Sunday

To-morrow is observed all over the Catholic Church as "Mission Sunday." On that day special prayers are said for the spread of the Catholic Faith in the lands where it is little known, and the people are asked to contribute something towards the support of the Church in those regions. An interesting fact about the observance of this day is that in recent years it is celebrated with special keenness by the small Catholic communities in actual missionary lands such as China. It is sometimes said that newly-converted people of pagan lands, who would be the most successful apostles among their own people, are not in actual fact greatly interested in missionary work. This is not the experience of Catholics. In fact, the experience of Catholics, least of all in China. From very young Catholic communities in all parts of China there arise young men and women who are anxious to devote themselves to spreading the Gospel among their own people, and the sacrifices made by poor Catholics to help the further spread of the Faith are often most remarkable. Last year an instance occurred in a small village where there were forty Catholic families. As they were all poor, the missionary when speaking to them of Mission Sunday never even suggested any contribution on their part. Later, however, one of their number suggested to the others that they should fast and light no fires on one day, so as to make an offering for the missions. They did this, and many others have done the same.

MISSIONARY WORK

The practice of contributing for the support of missions in distant places is not a new thing in the Catholic Church. A century and a half after Christ, a Greek writer, addressing the Romans, wrote: "From the earliest days of our religion it has been your habit to help by divers means all the brethren, and to send to the many Christian communities scattered among different cities the necessities of life. You have thus provided for the needs of the poor and sent help to those condemned to labour in the mines." Within the last century the assistance of missionary work has been organized by a body called the "Society for the Propagation of the Faith," which is now established in every land. It owes its origin to a poor working girl, Pauline Jaricot,

who lived in Lyons, France. She gathered five women as poor as herself in her house and asked if they knew any way by which they could help to send more missionaries to pagan lands to bring the blessings of the Catholic Faith there. They agreed after discussion to say certain prayers daily and to contribute one sou a day. The spirit of the women was shown by the decision of one of them. "I wear a white bonnet," she said, "and spend a sou a week to have it washed and ironed. In future I shall wear a black one and put the sou into our fund." The Society for Propagation of the Faith has now many million members.

AMATEUR RADIO STATION PICKS UP STRANGE BROADCAST

An amateur radio experimenter in New Jersey picked up strange messages a few months ago, and was for a long time puzzled as to their source and meaning. Judging finally that it was something to do with a Catholic organization he made inquiries and got an explanation: It was Bishop Turquell, the Vicar Apostolic of Hudson Bay, which touches the Arctic Circle, assigning their particular spheres of work to twenty-five missionaries responsible for an area covering a million and a half square miles. As any other means of communication in this frozen area would cause interminable delay, the Bishop communicates by wireless from a station in Chesterfield Inlet, in the north of Hudson Bay. The missionaries to whom he spoke came from Canada, the United States, France, Belgium, Germany and Italy.

CRICKETER BECOMES PARISH PRIEST

When a new church was opened last month in Ringwood, Hants, in the New Forest district, the first priest appointed in charge of it was Fr. John Glennie Greig, a former Hampshire country cricketer. Fr. Greig was ordained two years ago at the age of 63. Like his father he served in the Indian Army, and retired with the rank of Lt.-Colonel. He served as A.D.C. to several Governors of Bombay and for 14 years as Military Secretary. Until he entered the Beda College, Rome, in 1931, he was secretary of the Hampshire C.C.C. He was one of Hampshire's leading batsmen.

EMMANUEL MISSION CHURCH

The following are the Services for the week at Emmanuel Mission Church 218 Nathan Road, Kowloon:—

Saturday, 3.30 p.m. Fellowship Meeting followed by the Lord's Supper.

Subject, Hebrews chapter.

Sunday, 11 a.m. Divine Service. Preacher, Dr. H.L. Clift. Subject, "How are we to convince an unbelieving world, and assure our own hearts of the Truth?" Text, "Aaron cast down his rod before Pharaoh, and it became a serpent. The magicians of Egypt, they also by their enchantments did the same; every man of them threw his rod down, and it turned into a serpent. Only Aaron's rod swallowed up their rods" (Exodus 7: 10 to 13).

Sunday, 3 p.m. Sunday School. Young Women's Bible Class. Young Men's Bible Class.

Sunday, 8 p.m. Song Service conducted by Rev. Bucher.

Sunday 8.30 p.m. Divine Service. Preacher, Mr. Leland Wang. Subject, "The Testimony of my conversion." Text, "This is a faithful saying and worthy of all acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners; of whom I am chief" (1 Timothy 1:15).

Monday, 8 p.m. S.A.C.A. Blackboard Meeting.

Tuesday, 8 p.m. Young People's Club.

Wednesday, 2.30 p.m. Ladies Sewing Circle at 1, Canton Villas, Observatory Road.

Wednesday, 6 p.m. Sunday School Teachers' Preparation.

Wednesday, 8 p.m. Praise and Prayer Meeting. Special Prayer for China at this crisis.

Thursday, 10.30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study Circle at No. 216B Nathan Road. This is open to all ladies.

CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL

The following are the forthcoming services at the Catholic Cathedral, Caine Road.

October 25—23rd Sunday After Pentecost. St. Raphael the Archangel. Sunday Dedicated by his Holiness the Pope to the Propagation of the Faith.

Morning Services

1st Mass at 6 with sermon in Chinese.

2nd Mass at 8 with sermon in English.

3rd Mass at 10.30, with sermon in English.

Evening Services

At 2.30, Instruction to Young People.

At 3.30, Catechetical Instruction for Adults.

At 4, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, recitation of the Holy Rosary and Benediction.

October 28—S.S. Simon and Jude Thaddaeus, Apostles Solemn High Mass at 7.30.

On week-days: Mass at 6 and 7.30.

Confessions morning and evening.

"During the week days every evening at 5.30 there is: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, recitation of the Holy Rosary and Benediction."

In the Colony, who are interested in the Bible.

Thursday, 6 p.m. Evangelistic Service. Preacher, Mr. Leland Wang.

Thursday, 8 p.m. Bible Study Circle for men, conducted by Mr. James Braga.

Friday, 8 p.m. Bible Study Group conducted by Mr. Carl Jonsson at 3, Ho Man Tin Street, (Top floor). (Take No. 7 Bus).

The Services are open to all.

No Collection on Sunday Evening.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

October 24, 1937—22nd Sunday After Trinity.

Seafarers' Service

8 a.m. Holy Communion.

8 a.m. Holy Communion in Peak Church.

10 a.m. Kindergarten and Children's Service.

11 a.m. Mattins. Seafarers' Service. Preacher: Rev. Cyril Brown, Chaplain, Missions to Seamen.

6.30 p.m. Evensong. Preacher: Rev. H. W. Baines. "The glory of God in the Psalms, Creator, Psalms 20 and 24."

Weekdays—Holy Communion is celebrated on:—Tuesday, Thursday (S.S. Simon and Jude's Day) and Saturday at 7.30 a.m. Wednesday at 7.30 a.m. in the Peak Church. Friday at 7.45 a.m. (in Cantonese). Prayers for the sick. Wednesday, 10.15 a.m.

Thursday, 5.45 p.m. Choral Evensong.

Other Notices.—October 25, 8.30 p.m. Badminton, Cathedral Hall.

October 26, 5.15 p.m. Cathedral Council Meeting, Cathedral Hall.

October 27, 5 p.m. Badminton, Cathedral Hall.

During the critical times through which we are passing a Special Service of Prayer will be held daily in St. John's Cathedral.

The Service which begins at 12 noon will last for 20 minutes and will include prayers for peace, for our leaders, officers and troops, for the responsible Statesmen of the Far East and for all suffering as a result of the war.

Special Services.—Nov. 14, Armistice; Nov. 21, Legal and Police; Nov. 28, St. Andrew's Day; Dec. 28, Cathedral Sunday.

The Chapel of the Resurrection, Happy Valley, 9.15 a.m. Children's Service.

ENGLISH METHODIST CHURCH

Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong.

(opposite the R.N. Hospital).

Sunday Services, Oct. 24, 1937.—

Rev. D. B. Childs' Farewell Services.

Morning Parade Service at Shamshuip at 8.15. Preacher Rev. D. B. Childs.

Morning Parade Service at 10.15 at the English Methodist Church. Preacher: Rev. S. G. Garnett.—

Hymn No. 52 (Martham). Prayer, Lord's Prayer, Hymn No. 399 (Morna). 1st Lesson, Hymn No. 745 (Lucius). 2nd Lesson, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 701 (Amelia), Sermon, Hymn No. 590 (Antwerp).

Evening Service at 7.15 at the English Methodist Church. Preacher: Rev. D. B. Childs.—

Hymn No. 562 (Omberville). Prayer, Hymn No. 477 (Gersau), Lesson, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 460 (Tiverton), Sermon, Hymn No. 601 (Eilers: First Tune).

Notices For The Week

The Social Hour, usually held on Sunday evening at the "S. and S. Home" at 8.15 p.m. will take the form this week of a Farewell Gathering to Rev. and Mrs. D. B. Childs. It is hoped that there will be a good attendance.

The Monthly General Committee Meeting of the "S. and S. Home" will be held on Wednesday, October 21, at 5.30 p.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

5, GARDEN ROAD

October 24th—23rd Sunday after Pentecost.

First Mass and General Communion at 8 a.m.

Service for the Army and Navy 9 a.m.

Third Mass at 10 a.m. followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

This Sunday was dedicated by H.H. the Pope to the Propagation of the Faith. The collection is on behalf of that Pious Work.

On week days, Holy Mass at 8 a.m.

Confessions are heard every day before and after Mass.

On Saturdays, the special time for Confessions is from 4.30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

UNION CHURCH

NOTICES

Morning Service, 10.30 a.m.

Evening Service 6 p.m.

Preacher at both services, Rev. K. Mackenzie, Dow.

The S.A.C.A. meets in the Church Hall on Tuesday evening at 7.30 p.m.

The Helena May Christian Fellowship meets in the institute on Friday morning at 10.30 a.m.

ST ANDREW'S CHURCH

(Church of England)

HARVEST FESTIVAL

The Rev. J.R. Higgs to Preach. The following are the forthcoming services, etc. at St. Andrew's Church Kowloon:—

Sunday, October 24th—Twenty Second Sunday after Trinity.

Holy Communion, 8.15 a.m.

Harvest Festival morning service 11 a.m. Preacher—The Vicar.

Harvest Festival evening service 6.15 p.m. Preacher—The Vicar.

Primary Sunday School in the Hall at 10 a.m. Leader—Miss W. Robinson.

Young Peoples' Service in the Church at 10 a.m. Leader—Mrs. J.R. Higgs.

Monday: Medical Working Party 10 a.m.

Fellowship of Youth 8 p.m.

Teachers' Preparation Class 7 p.m.

St. Andrew's Club Social at 9 p.m.

Tuesday: Mother's Union Meeting 3 p.m. Speaker—Mrs. Blanche.

Brownie Pack 3.30 p.m.

Wednesday: Medical Working Party 10 a.m.

Intercession Service in connection with the War at 12 noon.

Wolf Cubs 5.30 p.m.

Rover Scouts 8.45 p.m.

Thursday: St. Jude's Day Holy Communion 7.30 a.m.

Women's Fellowship 3 p.m.

St. Andrew's Boy Scouts meeting. (St. Kowloon) at 8 p.m.

St. Andrew's Club "Open Night" 9 p.m.

Friday: Medical Working Party 10 a.m.

Shanghai Brownie Pack meeting in the grounds at 3 p.m.

Full Choir Practice 6.30 p.m.

ROSARY CHURCH

20, CHATHAM ROAD, KOWLOON

The following are the forthcoming services, etc. at the Rosary Church, 20 Chatham Road, Kowloon.

Sunday, Oct. 24—23rd Sunday after Pentecost.

Sunday dedicated by H. H. the Pope to the Propagation of the Faith.

All the Faithful are earnestly requested to receive Holy Communion for the Propagation of the Faith and pray for the conversion of the Infidels.—A Plenary Indulgence is granted. (A. A. S. 1927, fol. 23).

At 6.30, Mass with sermon in Chinese.

At 7.30, Mass with sermon in English.

At 8.30, Mass with sermon in Portuguese.

At 9.30, Mass with sermon in English, followed by the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, recitation of the Holy Rosary and Benediction.

At 2 p.m. Catechetical Instruction in Chinese.

At 2.30 p.m. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Monday, Oct. 25—Meeting of the St. John Berchmans' Sanctuary Boys Society after the Evening Service.

Wednesday, Oct. 27—At 7.15 a.m. Blessing of the C.Y.M.S.'s Flag followed by Mass and General Communion—General Choir Practice after the Evening Service.

Thursday, Oct. 28—Feast of St. Jude Thaddeus, Ap.—High Mass at 7.30.—A Triduum of Supplication for the practice of Daily Communion begins to-day at 6 p.m.; Rosary, Sermon and Benediction.

Friday, Oct. 29—Meeting of the Men-Promoters of the Apostleship of Prayer after the Evening Service.

On week-days: Mass at 8.30 and 7.30.—Exercises for the Month of the Holy Rosary at 6 p.m.

At the St. Paul's Chapel (185 Portland Street, Yaumatei) Mass with sermon in Chinese at 5.45 a.m. on Sunday.

VIOLATION OF LAWS

Berlin, Oct. 21.

The local Catholic Church Party of the Danzig Free State has been dissolved by the police, according to an official announcement, which alleges violation of certain laws by one of the Catholic Party leaders.

It is added that by this act a united National Socialist front has been established in Danzig.

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"KING OF GAMBLERS"
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TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

KING'S:
"Married Before Breakfast"

QUEEN'S:
"His Affair"

ORIENTAL:
"There Goes My Girl"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:
"His Affair"

STAR:
"Duck Soup"

MAJESTIC:
"Sing Me A Love Song"

Sunday

KING'S:
"Between Two Women"

QUEEN'S:
"His Affair"

ORIENTAL:
"A Day At The Races"

ALHAMBRA:
"His Affair"

STAR:
"Song of Songs"

MAJESTIC:
"They Gave Him A Gun"

HIS AFFAIR

Robert Taylor and Barbara Stanwyck—the screen's most talked-about real-life sweethearts—have been teamed by Twentieth Century-Fox in the picture the world is talking about, "His Affair," which opens at the Queen's and Alhambra Theatres to-day.

The story of a love supremely courageous and unshamed, endangering the nation's highest places and gambling life itself for a great stake, "His Affair" provides both Taylor and Miss Stanwyck with the most important story either of these great stars has ever had, and affords Victor McLaglen, who heads the strong supporting cast, the finest opportunity he has had since his powerful characterization in "The Informant."

"His Affair" would be a triumph for either of its co-stars, for it presents Robert Taylor in a picture which captures the mood of great romance and the urge of mighty drama, while Barbara Stanwyck matches his greatness with a fire and power given full scope for the first time. But for Robert Taylor and Barbara Stanwyck it is their supreme dramatic opportunity—to be together, to act together, to become greater together.

Setting its scene at the turn of the century, "His Affair" shows the nation's stability, threatened by a series of sensational bank robberies in the Middle West. President William McKinley turns in desperation to a young Lieutenant, Robert Taylor, whose record under Admiral Dewey bespeaks his valour. The young officer, sworn to secrecy, is instructed to disgrace himself in the Navy, be discharged, and eventually locate the bank-robbing gang and their government informant.

Joining the gang in a robbery during which a Secret Service man is killed, Taylor is arrested with the others and, in a stirring dramatic climax, faces the prospect of the gallows when the only man who can clear his name, the President himself, is assassinated.

SING ME A LOVE SONG

It is an axiom in the film studios that all the songs for a big musical production must be hits. It just wouldn't do for the songs in a costly film to fall short in any way. This constituted one of the problems that accompanied sound in pictures.

The movie studios were able to solve this problem which stumped the music houses. They tailor their songs to the measure of the stars who sing them, and to public taste. This was done in the Cosmopolitan production, "Sing Me A Love Song," which First National will release at the Majestic Theatre to-day.

The picture is a romantic musical comedy with production numbers staged and directed by Bob Connolly.

Other stellar roles are played by Hugh Herbert, Allen Jenkins and Walter Catlett. Ann Sheridan, Nat Pendleton and Hobart Cavanaugh are featured.

TRAINING GALLOPS

Times Taken At Happy Valley

The following times were taken during the training gallops at the Race Course yesterday:

	Distance	1st	2nd	3rd	Last
Bistro	1/2	31	31	31	31
Coronation Day	1/2	31	31	31	31
Harvest View	1/2	30.4	30.4	30.4	30.4
Double Finesse	1/2	24.1	24.1	24.1	24.1
Tubby Cat	1/2	32.4	1.03.1	30.2	30.2
Scene View	1/2	32.4	1.02.4	30	30
Discovery Bay	1/2	30.2	57.3	27.1	27.1
Lancashire Chips	1/2	27.4	55.1	27.2	27.2
Katinka	1/2	35	1.03.3	28.3	28.3
Laughing Buddha	1/2	29.4	29.4	29.4	29.4
Wild Life	1/2	30	30	30	30
Plain View	1/2	34	1.04	30	30
Expansion Time	1/2	32	1.02	30	30
Havoc Eye	1/2	30.4	1.01.3	30.4	30.4
Tiny Star	1/2	34	1.05.2	31.2	31.2
Racing Boy	1/2	30.2	30.2	30.2	30.2
Laughing Cavalier	1/2	33.1	1.04.3	31.2	31.2
Roofly	1/2	31.2	1.00.1	28.4	28.4
Boronia Belle	1/2	26	26	26	26
Boat Bay	1/2	31.3	1.01.4	30.1	30.1
King's Lead	1/2	31.2	1.00.2	29	29
King's Coronation	1/2	30.4	59	28.1	28.1
Good Morning	1/2	31.4	1.02.1	30.2	30.2
Gladiator	1/2	35.2	1.07.1	31.4	31.4
National Faith	1/2	32.1	32.1	32.1	32.1
Centre Court	1/2	28.4	56.1	27.2	27.2
Happy Venture	1/2	34.3	1.06.4	32.1	32.1
Gold Coin	1/2	29.4	29.4	29.4	29.4
Deedle and Radium	1/2	33.4	1.06.1	32.2	32.2
Ranger	1/2	31.2	59	27.4	27.4
Rob Roy	1/2	33.3	1.03.4	30.1	30.1
Brutus	1/2	33.1	1.00.3	27.2	27.2
Yum Sing	1/2	38.1	1.07.4	29.3	29.3
Valorous	1/2	29.4	29.4	29.4	29.4
Lancashire Tich and New Star	1/2	36	1.08.1	32.1	32.1
Sylvanale	1/2	37	1.05.1	28.1	28.1
Zero	1/2	28.2	28.2	28.2	28.2
Centre Forward, Emergency Call and Gold Sovereign	1/2	29.4	29.4	29.4	29.4
Beat That	1/2	34	1.02.4	28	28
Philanderer and Tempest	1/2	34.4	1.06.4	32	32
King's Bounty	1/2	34.1	1.08.2	34.1	34.1

CHARITY FOOTBALL

To-morrow's Game At Caroline Hill

At the charity football match arranged for to-morrow at Caroline Hill, the South China team which recently toured the South Seas with great success will make its first appearance since its return home. They will play against the Rest of the Colony. The object of the match is to raise funds for war relief in China, and the game is scheduled to begin at 4.30 p.m. The Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo will "kick-off."

The game promises to be a really fine one, and a large attendance is anticipated.

It has also been arranged that the First Division League match between the Kowloon Chinese and the Police will be played on the same ground as a curtain-raiser, commencing at 3 p.m.

Admission will be \$5, \$2, \$1 and 50 cents.

JEAN BATTEN AT KARACHI

Karachi, Oct. 21. Miss Jean Batten, famous young New Zealand flier, has arrived here from Allahabad.

She put her machine down at 7.10 p.m. (India Standard Time) nearly a day ahead of the schedule of Broadbent, whose solo record from Australia to England she aims to better.

She is staying here overnight and takes off on her next leg in the early morning.

ATTEMPT ON RECORD

London, Oct. 22. The Australian, Broadbent, left Lympne at 5 a.m. to-day in an attempt to beat Jean Batten's England to Australia record of 5 days 12 hours 3 minutes.

BAER BRADDOCK FIGHT POSTPONED

New York, Oct. 20. The fight arranged between Max Baer and Jimmy Braddock, both former heavyweight boxing champions of the world, has been postponed indefinitely owing to an injury to Braddock's hand.

Mike Jacobs, the famous promoter, will announce the date and place of the fight in a few weeks.

The Baer-Braddock fight is part of an eliminating contest to find an opponent for Joe Louis, the present champion.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23

Anniversaries and Holidays:—Paul Cezanne died, 1906. Dr. W. G. Grace died, 1915.

Cinemas:—(See Page 5).

Dances:—Flannel Dance at Hotel Cecil, 8.30 p.m.; R.A.M.C. Dance at Peninsula Hotel, 8.30 p.m.

Entertainments:—Concert in St. Stephen's Girls' College, 8 p.m. in aid of Hong Kong School for the Deaf.

Malls:—(See Page 16).

Miscellaneous:—Claims against the Estate of John McKeand, due; Hong Kong Lawn Bowls, Assn. Annual Dinner and Presentation of Prizes, at Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden, 8 p.m. for 8.30.

Moon:—IX Moon, 20th. Day.

Social:—Civil Service Cricket Club Whist Drive, 9.30 p.m.

Sports:—(See Page 10).

Sunrise:—6.23 a.m. Sunset:—5.53 p.m.

Tides:—High at 11.17 and 22.25. Low at 04.45 and 16.06.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24

Cinemas:—(See Page 5).

Malls:—(See Page 16).

Moon:—XI Moon, 21st. Day.

Sports:—(See Page 10).

Sunrise:—6.23 a.m. Sunset:—5.52 p.m.

Tides:—High at 12.20 and 23.08. Low at 05.35 and 16.36.

VETERANS AT CRICKET

The annual cricket match between the veterans of the two senior Shanghai cricket clubs, the Shanghai Cricket Club and the Shanghai Recreation Club, which took place on October 18 on the ground of the former Club attracted a large crowd and resulted in a win for the S.C.C. after an interesting game.

The winners batted first and after a disastrous start, Brig-General E. B. Macnaghten and C. H. Arnold, the opening pair fell as well as the next two men. They ran up the useful score of 136 for six wickets, at which point they declared. E. A. P. Wood played a fine knock of 60.

For the losers the Main brothers batted well, T. G. Main (of lawn bowls fame) top-scoring with 23 runs, but the last wicket fell with the score only at 116. H. H. Morris (4 for 37) and R. G. Southerton (3 for 25) did most of the damage.

Prior to the start of the match the Cricket Club entertained the Recreation Club to lunch when a large and representative gathering was present.

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As Tom Wakefield, a care-free young inventor, Young becomes enmeshed in a series of laugh-provoking adventures with Kitty Brent, played by Miss Rice. Barnett Parker, as Young's valet, is

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THREE GENERALS CHARGED

Valencia, Oct. 20. A sensation has been caused by the arrest here of three prominent generals on charges of conspiracy

in connection with the fall of Malaga. They are General don Teribio Cabrera, General don Jose Atzenio and General don Manuel Artega. General don Fernando Monje has been arrested at Barcelona on similar charges.

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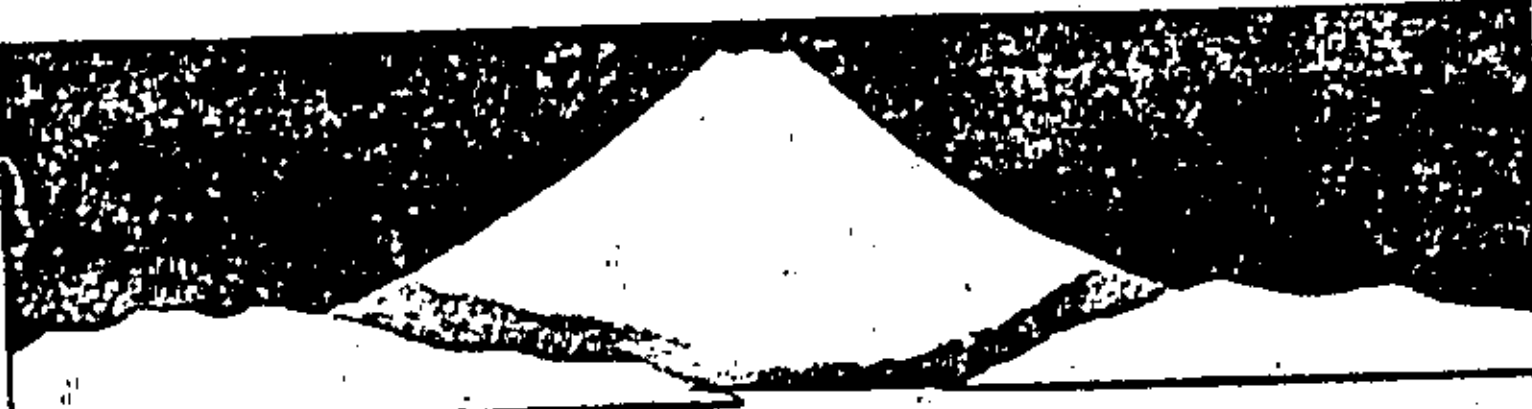
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NORTH CHINA WAR

FIERCE FIGHTING NEAR TAZANG

Shanghai, Oct. 21. The region between Woosung Creek and the town of Tazang was again the scene of the most violent fighting to-day, and Tazang now appears to be the next objective of the Japanese.

In spite of all their concentrated efforts, however, the Japanese failed to make any headway in this sector because here, as in other fronts, they found that the Chinese were putting up the stiffest resistance.

The Chinese launched a very heavy attack on the Japanese lines from Changchou to the southern side of Wentsao-pang, and violent hand-to-hand fighting took place, the casualties not being known up to late in the evening. The Japanese, appear to be particularly anxious to reach Tazang, but force of their attack was somewhat cut off by the Chinese troops who left their trenches to meet the advancing enemy. Thus taken aback the Japanese were compelled to retire to their original positions, and in the late evening quiet again reigned in this sector. It is expected, however, that the Japanese will soon make another attempt to take this sector as the movement of the warships on the Yangtse indicates that the attackers are bringing up more reinforcements. The Chinese are also ready for all eventualities and to this end are making all the necessary arrangements to meet the Japanese.

JAPANESE COUNTER-OFFENSIVES IN SHANSI REFUSED

Taiyuan, Oct. 22. In an attempt to re-take the territory lost during the past two days, the Japanese forces simultaneously launched a fierce counter-offensive on Nangtszewan Pass, on the Cheng-tai Railway, Lingshan, 10 miles east of Hsinkow and Kwanchuang yesterday, but were repulsed with heavy casualties, according to military reports received here.

The Chinese troops also routed a Japanese column near Ching-ching. During the fierce fighting yesterday three Chinese battalion commanders were wounded but the troops held fast to their positions. It now transpires that during the fighting earlier in the week, a group of Chinese dare-to-die members ventured near Nangtszewan Pass and set fire to the Japanese positions, which forced the invaders to withdraw.

The Chinese officers at the front charge the Japanese with using tear-gas bomb during the fighting at Kwanchuang.

JAPANESE OCCUPY HSINKOW

Peking, Oct. 22. Japanese troops have occupied all the Chinese positions in the Hsinkow Mountains of Shansi with the exception of one hill, according to a Japanese military report.

THEIR MAJESTIES

Travel Under Heavy Pall Of Fog

London, Oct. 21. The fog, which thickened London yesterday, thickened in many parts of England to-day.

In London the fog did not lift as the day advanced, and at lunch time was still heavy, delaying trains and road traffic, while Thames shipping was also affected.

The King and Queen kept to plan on the last day of their visit to Yorkshire, despite the fog. When they left Harwood House in the morning there was bright sunshine, but when they reached Leeds the fog was so thick that they could only see a very short distance.

Their Majesties visited many coalfields, and a crowd of many thousands cheered as they drove from the Wakefield Town Hall to the Council Hall where they were the honoured guests at a luncheon given by the Lord Mayor.

DUKE OF KENT VISITS MANCHESTER

London, Oct. 21. The Duke of Kent, who is touring Lancashire, visited Manchester to-day and inspected a furniture factory in which most of the employees are ex-Servicemen.

Later His Royal Highness went to Blackpool where he attended a series of public engagements.

CHINESE UNIVERSITIES NOT USED FOR ARMY BARRACKS

Nanking, Oct. 22. The report circulated by Domei News Agency to the effect that the Japanese planes had bombed Chinese universities because the institutions had been turned into military barracks is strongly denied by responsible quarters here.

It is explained that the Central University at Nanking and the Chungshan University at Canton were both in the midst of preparing for the reopening of the academic year at the time of the bombings. Furthermore, as both institutions were located far from the scene of the actual fighting there was no necessity for turning the schools into barracks for Chinese troops.

The news agency report is branded as "entirely false and without any foundation" and is circulated in order to cover up the barbarous acts of the Japanese militarists. Chinese circles here declare that the facts are too strong for mere denials, and that other nations of the world will not easily be fooled by Japanese propaganda.

CHINESE PLANES ATTACK JAPANESE ON NORTHERN FRONT

Tsinan, Oct. 22. Chinese military headquarters revealed to-day that a fleet of Chinese bombers flew up the Tientsin-Pukow Railway and subjected the Japanese positions north of Yucheng to a severe bombing yesterday.

Two Japanese planes raided Hsueh and Hanchuang where bombs were dropped. There was no damage, however. One of the planes was hit by Chinese anti-aircraft shells, but managed to escape.

Another Japanese bomber appeared west of Tsinan and dropped four bombs which all fell in the water.

DISBANDMENT OF BOY SCOUTS

Peking, Oct. 22. The municipal authorities have ordered the disbandment of Boy Scouts in all schools in Peking.

No reason is given for the action, but presumably it is due to Japanese disapproval of the semi-military training instituted and encouraged among these troops of scouts by the Chinese Government.

2,000 JAPANESE ANNIHILATED

Taiyuan, Oct. 21. Over 2,000 Japanese troops which have been engaging the Chinese forces around Chukwan Pass and Nangtszewan Pass on the east Shansi border during the past two days have been annihilated. Chinese casualties are reported to be also heavy.

Japanese communication between Yenmenkwan Pass and Tatung has been disrupted as a result of the destruction of a bridge at Chenchiapao in the district of Hsuanjen about 30 kilometres south of Tatung.

AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL

London, Oct. 21. A new air traffic control station was inaugurated at Manchester to-day.

This is the first station to be erected in the Midlands. Another is to be built at the Portsmouth city airport.

The stations are used to guide and help planes in the air and on land, to tell pilots about weather conditions, the failure of beacons, and other information necessary for safety flying.

PARTITION OF PALESTINE

London, Oct. 21. The British Government intends to adhere to the plans for the partition of Palestine, stated Mr. Ormsby-Gore in an answer in the House of Commons to-day.

He declared that in view of the divisions reached by the League of Nations Council and the League Assembly, the the British Government felt itself justified in proceeding with the preliminary work involved in carrying out the partition.

PRINCE TEH WANG SUMMONS MONGOL LEADERS

Peking, Oct. 22. Prince Teh Wang has convened a plenary session of the Mongol Political Council to meet at Kwei-hua to-day in order to discuss the political future of Inner Mongolia.

PATRIOTISM OF CHINESE

Draws Admiration From Enemy

Taiyuan, Oct. 22. The following interesting excerpts originally in Japanese were taken from the diary of a Japanese officer killed in action in Shansi:

(1) "Detached Chinese soldiers who are captured by the Japanese usually commit suicide instead of surrendering. Though they are my enemy, I must pay due respects to their patriotic and courageous spirit."

(2) "Chinese men, women and children at Kwangling threw their hand-grenades at us whenever they met us. We can see that even Chinese women and children are very patriotic."

(3) "At the sight of corpses strewn on the ground even a war-like people would begin to hate war."

Central News.

DEBATE IN HOUSE OF LORDS

Foreign Affairs The Chief Item

London, Oct. 21. The House of Lords, meeting for a new session to-day, was engaged in a debate on foreign affairs.

The debate was opened by Lord Plymouth, Chairman of the Non-Intervention Sub-Committee, who made a statement similar to that of Mr. Anthony Eden in the House of Commons. He said the Government, armily welcomed the Nine-Power conference as affording the best hope of ending the Sino-Japanese conflict by pacific means.

He said the question of inviting Powers who had not signed and had not acceded to the Nine-Power Treaty, but who were closely concerned with events in the Far East, was being considered, but a decision was not likely until the conference met.

PEACE BY AGREEMENT

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SCOTS GREYS TO BE MECHANISED

The Royal Scots Greys (2nd Dragoons) are threatened with mechanisation and the loss of their famous grey horses, writes the Military Correspondent of the "Morning Post."

Vigorous protests against this decision are being made by influential Scotsmen, who feel that the conversion of the regiment to mechanisation will do harm to Scottish sentiment.

For 250 years the Greys have been closely associated with Scotland. Completely to destroy the regiment's character—when official policy is not contemplating the total disappearance of all horsed cavalry—is regarded with concern in Scotland.

The 2nd Dragoons, like the 2nd Dragoon Guards (The Bays), have always been officially named after the colour of their horses. The Greys regiment falls to take first place in the order of precedence only because, when raised, it was on the Scottish Establishment.

CANNOT BE DISGUISED

Horses cannot well be camouflaged. The Scottish people would presumably object if it were proposed to change the colour of the horses. A German officer recently told me that the Greys were the first indication to the Germans that the British were at Mons in 1914. Their horses, he said, could not be missed or mistaken.

That, conceivably, may be one reason for deciding on a change to machines for a regiment that was thought to be outside the scheme of mechanisation.

The explanation, however, is more likely to be that, now that the Government of India has accepted the policy of mechanisation for the cavalry of the British Army, there is a sound reason for bringing the Greys and other horsed regiments more into keeping with modern ideas of war.

PANAMA KEEPS SKIRTS CLEAN

Panama, Oct. 21. Following the closing of the China Sea to Chinese-owned vessels by the Japanese navy, Panama is temporarily suspending the registration of Soviet vessels under the flag of Panama, announced the Foreign Minister, M. le Fevre, to-day.

Panama is anxious to avoid diplomatic complications with the warring nations in the Orient, and will maintain the suspension until other Powers involved decide joint action.

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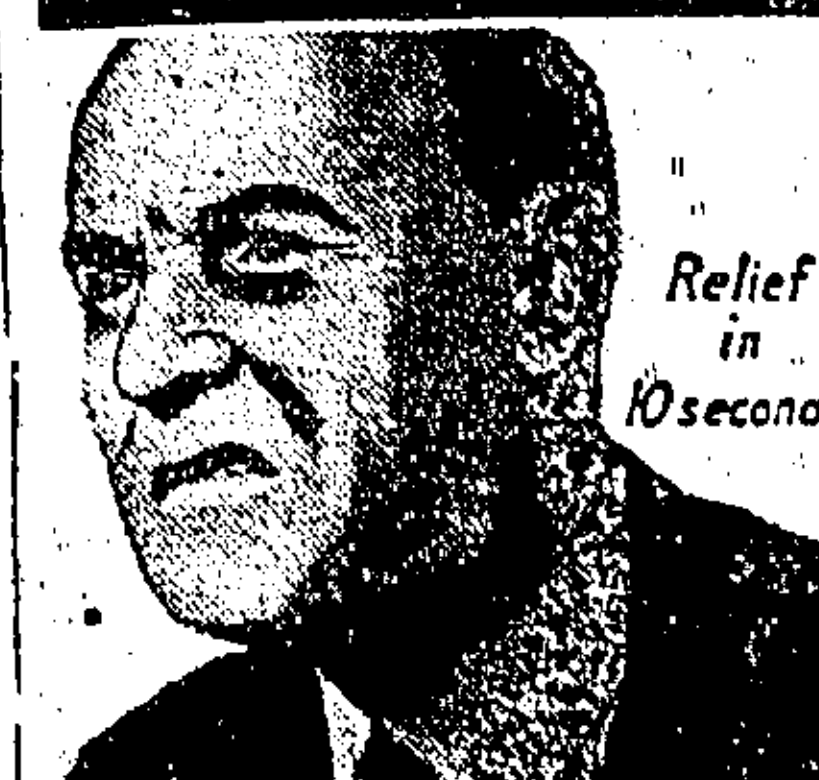
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THE SERVICES

(By The Air Mail, London October 9).

ROYAL NAVY

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT STAFF

Commander (E) J. N. F. Haigh has joined the staff of the Naval Ordnance Department as an engineering inspector in succession to Commander (E) F. T. Mason, who has been appointed to the cruiser Galatea to relieve Commander (E) W. G. Foster.

SUPPLEMENTARY LIEUTENANTS

Up to September 30 a total of 123 executive officers of the Royal Naval Reserve has been transferred to the Supplementary List of the Royal Navy in the ranks of lieutenant or sub-lieutenant. The first batch was entered last April 1. Supplementary officers are eligible to specialize in anti-submarine duties and in the Fleet Air Arm and submarines. Promotion will, in exceptional cases, be made to commander's rank, but normally retirement will be at the age of 45, when retired pay up to a maximum of £258 a year may be earned.

MEDITERRANEAN CRUISERS

The projected visit of the cruisers London and Sussex to Beirut has been cancelled and the vessels have proceeded instead to Alexandria.

ADMIRALTY SURGEONS

The following appointments as Admiralty Surgeon and Agent for the districts named have been approved:—S. S. Rendall, Boston, Lincs; Mr. H. M. Gilbertson, Hinchin; Mr. A. M. Henry, Chelmsford; and Mr. S. J. Radfield, Beer, East Devon.

CADETS AT DARTMOUTH

Parents and guardians are reminded that applications to sit for the qualifying examination for the entry of naval cadets at Dartmouth College in December must be received at the Admiralty before October 16. Candidates must be between the ages of 13 years four months and 13 years eight months on December 1. There will be approximately 45 vacancies at this time.

LIEUT. DORE

Lieutenant F. Dore, R.N., ret'd., has been awarded a Greenwich Hospital pension of £30 a year, from September 16, in the vacancy created by the death of Mr. F. J. Stock, commissioned gunner, R.N., ret'd.

NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments are made by the Admiralty:—

Capt. (Retd.)—M. J. Palmes, to President for course (Oct. 4).

Lt.-Cdr.—R. I. Hoyle, to "Redworth," in command (Oct. 11); R. A. Currie, to "Excellent" (Oct. 16).

Lt.—C. G. Cowley, to "Norfolk"; O. M. Cheeke, to "Excellent" for course; C. C. Hawkins, to "Westley"; I. M. Balfour, to "Iron Duke" (Oct. 11); A. E. M. Raynsford, to "Wolfhound"; J. V. Waterhouse, to "Arethusa" (Oct. 12); W. A. Juniper, to "Griffin" (Oct. 13); W. J. P. Church, to "Victory" for R.N.B. (Oct. 25).

Lt. (R.N.R.)—A. S. "Marshall" granted a commission as Lt. (Supplementary List) (seny. 7) and appt'd. to "Broke" (Oct. 11).

Wt. Engr.—K. W. Douglas, to "Dolphin" (Sept. 30).

PROMOTIONS

Payr. Sub-Lts.—D. C. Coote, G. T. W. Clements, E. V. Inglesby, R. N. D. Ford, L. W. B. Cotching, D. J. R. Snelling, P. W. T. Hammer, to rank of Payr. Lt. (seny. Oct. 1).

Cd. Engr.—S. C. Chaffield, to rank of Lt. (E) (seny. Oct. 1).

RETIREMENTS

Lt.-Cdr.—R. S. Ollerhead, at own request with rank of Cdr. (Oct. 9).

Cd. Tel.—E. Grave, at own request (Oct. 6).

THE ARMY

NEW BATTALION COMMANDER

Major S. D. Mills, M.C., has been selected for command of the 1st Battalion, The Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire Regiment, in succession to Lieutenant-Colonel C. E. G. Shearman, D.S.O., M.C., appointed to the Staff with effect from October 1, 1937.

PAY AND FURLOUGH RULES

British soldiers whose units are under order to return home from India will not, except in special circumstances, be granted free furlough during the summer months preceding the troop season in which they are due to leave for home. This order will not apply to soldiers whose units are to proceed to China and the Sudan, or other station, before returning to the United Kingdom.

The higher furlough rates of pay, even if drawn on a previous occasion, will not be issuable to an officer who, not having qualified

for an Indian pension, proceeds out of India on furlough of command, leave pending retirement, reversion, &c.

Soldiers under probation for transfer from one corps to another may be granted increment pay provided the O.C. under whom a man is serving is satisfied with his progress as a probationer.

COLONEL H. LLOYD HOWARD, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel H. Lloyd Howard, M.C., T.D., who was transferred to the Territorial Army Reserve of Officers on October 2, is 43.

ESTABLISHMENT CHANGES

Colonel Gerald C. G. Blunt, D.S.O., O.B.E., Commandant of the R.A.S.C. Training Ctr., who is to continue his staff service in Aldershot as Assistant Director of Supplies and Transport, will succeed Brigadier C. Burton, C.B.E., D.S.O. He held a similar post at the War Office. Colonel Rowland M. Airey, O.B.E., M.C., who succeeds to the Training Centre command, is being brought home from Malta, where he is A.D.S.T., and formerly was an instructor at the training establishment. He has held staff appointments in France, at the War Office, on the Rhine, in Upper Silesia, and Channel Islands.

The new commandant of the R.A.O.C. School of Instruction at Hilsa in place of Colonel F. C. Larmour, D.S.O., will be transferred from Didcot. Lieutenant-Colonel John S. Omond, M.B.E., M.C., who will be promoted on going to the School, was mentioned in France when in ordnance charge of the 16th and the Portuguese Divisions.

R.A. PROMOTION

Lieutenant-Colonel O. G. Body, D.S.O., promoted from brevet rank, has been senior major in the R.A. and with the 1st Medium Brigade at Portsmouth.

The seventeenth reunion dinner of the officers of the 3rd Battalion, Machine Gun Corps, will be held at the Trocadero Restaurant, Piccadilly Circus, London, on Saturday, November 13, at 6.30. Colonel W. J. Cranston, D.S.O., will preside, and the guest of the evening will be Major-General W. N. Herbert, C.B., C.M.G., G.O.C. 50th Territorial Division.

TIDWORTH REGIMENTAL CHANGES

The change in command of the 10th Royal Hussars, now mechanized as an unit of the 2nd Cavalry Brigade of light tanks, promotes an officer who is a trained gunner.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles H. Gairdner is 39, and joined the Royal Artillery in 1916, being wounded in France.

The other Tidworth change announced, Lieutenant-Colonel Neville Collins, to command the 1st Battalion, The Loyal Regiment (North Lancashire) is due to the appointment of Colonel J. G. Halsted, O.B.E., M.C., to Aldershot H.Q.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

COMMAND IN INDIA

Air Marshal P. B. Joubert de la Ferté, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., has now taken up the post of Air Officer Commanding, Royal Air Force, India.

He has succeeded Air Chief Marshal Sir Edgar Ludlow-Hewitt, K.C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., M.C., who becomes Air Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Bomber Command, Uxbridge. India headquarters moved from Simla to New Delhi on October 13.

R.A.F. APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments in the Royal Air Force are notified:—

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH
Air Marshal—P. B. Joubert de la Ferté, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., to Headquarters, R.A.F., India, New Delhi on appointment as Air Officer Commanding (Sept. 29).

Wing Commanders.—Acting Group Captain R. H. M. S. Saunders, M.C., D.F.C., A.F.C., to Directorate of Intelligence, Air Ministry, for duty as Deputy Director of Operations (Sept. 16); C. N. Lowe, M.C., D.F.C., to R.A.F. College, Cranwell, for duty as Officer in Charge (Sept. 20); J. E. Dand, M.B.E., to R.A.F. Station, North Weald, to command (Sept. 6); J. H. O. Jones to No. 201 (General Reconnaissance) Squadron, Calshot, to command (Sept. 20).

Squadron Leaders.—Acting Wing Commander E. P. M. Davis, A.F.C., A.M., to Special Duty List, on appointment as Air Attache, Brussels (Sept. 3); R. R. Nash, to Inspectorate General, R.A.F., for duty as Personal Assistant to Inspector General (Sept. 1); J. L. Airey, D.F.C., to Headquarters, No. 4 (Bomber) Group, Linton-upon-Ouse, for Air Staff duties (Sept. 13).



The Worth Sisters scored a tremendous hit at the Gloucester Hotel last night when they entertained at the opening dinner dance of the winter season. They will be entertaining again to-night and will give a special comedy number by request.

WORTH SISTERS IN SUCCESSFUL FIRST NIGHT

Judging by the many people who supported the Gloucester Hotel dinner dance last night, which incidentally marked the opening of the winter season, the cold months will see large numbers of residents flocking to the Gloucester dances. Last night's function was an unequalled success and it must be said that it was due to three main reasons, namely the excellent management, the very entertaining and charming Worth Sisters and the new Gloucester Band.

"Cherub" and "Snug"—that's how the sisters address each other—were in top form last night, and if their numbers were not as "showy" as some that we have seen here, they did not suffer by comparison insofar as the entertainment part was concerned.

They threw their heart and soul into every number and it was because of this that all their three numbers were so heartily applauded.

The orchestra rose to the occasion to a man, and that meant never-ending demands for encores. The only complaint that the patrons of the Gloucester had last night was against those who made it impossible to "go on" after 1 a.m.—the curfew hour—for one and all who attended felt they could have danced till the break of day!

The Gloucester are holding a gala night to-night, up till 2 a.m., and this time the Worth Sisters will appear four times—and that alone should be inducement enough to "cancel all dates" and make straight for the Gloucester.

CHINA SQUADRON DISPOSITION

The following is the disposition of H.M. ships in North China:—

Shanghai: Cumberland, Folkestone.

Tsingtao: Grimsby.

Chefoo: Decoy.

Welhalwei: Adventure, Duncan.

Tanku: Defender.

Hankow: Capetown.

Foochow: Diamond.

Swatow: Daring.

WARSHIPS IN HARBOUR

The following warships were in port yesterday:—

North Arm: Suffolk.

North Wall: Moth.

East Wall: Orpheus, Proteus.

Pandora.

West Wall: Thracian, Westcott.

Dock: Diana, Dainty.

Talkoo Dock: Lowestoft, Cicala.

No. 1 Buoy: Eagle.

No. 2 Buoy: Medway and the Fourth Submarine Flotilla.

No. 3 Buoy: Dorsetshire.

No. 4 Buoy: Falmouth.

No. 6 Buoy: Danae.

No. 8 Buoy: Duchess.

FOREIGN MEN-OF-WAR

Chinese: Chun Hsing.

Chinese Customs Cruisers (15).

Gunboats (2), Transports (2).

MOVEMENTS

H.M.S. Delight left for Woosung on Thursday.

H.M.S. Suffolk will leave for Welhalwei on October 28 to relieve H.M.S. Adventure which is returning to Hong Kong.

H.M.S. Duchess is sailing for Tsingtao on October 29 to relieve H.M.S. Grimsby which will be proceeding to Welhalwei.

H.M.S. Sandwich has arrived at Tanku from Welhalwei.

H.M.S. Falmouth took the officer administering the Government.

Mr. N. L. Smith, C.M.G., to Macau for an official visit, yesterday morning and returned to the Colony again yesterday evening.

DANAÉ GOING HOME

H.M.S. Danae will be sailing for Home at 4 p.m. to-day, flying her

REGISTRY WEDDING

A quiet wedding took place at the Registry of Marriages, Supreme Court yesterday, when Miss Ng Kai Chun, of No. 78 Tung Lo Wan Road, became the bride of Mr. Chu Pak Lam, building contractor, residing at No. 47 Queen's Road East, second floor.

The ceremony was performed by Mr. W. Aneurin Jones, Deputy Registrar of Marriages, in the presence of Mr. Ng Kai Kin and Mrs. Hui Sam.

The bride is the daughter of the late Mr. Ng Sik Yue, and the groom the son of Mr. Chu Chan Wah.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following forthcoming weddings are announced:—

Mr. Wong Tam Chan, of La Salle College, and Mrs. Lam Yuk Fong, of No. 128 Fuk Wing Street, second floor.

Mr. Ip Ping Hung, merchant, of No. 17 Hing Hong Road, and Miss Margaret Chan, of No. 85 Robinson Road.

HEALTH RETURNS

One case of cholera, one of enteric fever and three of dysentery were reported to the Health Authorities for the 24 hours ended at midnight on Thursday.

paying-off pennant, and will be cheered off Hong Kong. She will probably reach England on December 10.

R.A.F. FAR EAST CHIEF COMING

Air Vice-Marshal A. W. Tedder, C.B., Air Officer Commanding in the Far East, is due next Thursday by the Ranchi.

He is making a tour of inspection and will spend some time in Hong Kong.

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LOCAL ESTATES

Chan Kam Chi, general merchant, late of No. 5 Sai Lam Hong, Tai Sap Po, Canton, and of No. 74 Hollywood Road, first floor, Hong Kong, who died on April 27, 1937, left local estate to the value of \$41,000. A petition by Chung Kit Chuen, concubine, and Chan Yu Shing, general merchant, both of No. 74 Hollywood Road, first floor, for grant of probate of the will of the deceased has been granted by the Supreme Court.

Local estate sworn under \$17,000 was left by Fong Chim Ying, alias Fong Wo Shing, retired merchant, of Hoo Chung Village, Chung Shan District, Kwangtung Province, who died on or about November 15, 1935. Letters of administration to the estate of the deceased, for the use and benefit of Fong Yau Ki and Fong Yat Ming, have been granted to Fong Yau Nam, general factory assistant, of No. 137 Kwelin Street, Shamshuipo.

DONATIONS

The Chairman of the Hong Kong Travel Association acknowledges with thanks the receipt of the following subscriptions to the Association for the period 1937-1938:—

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SERVANT TAKES 400 EGGS

The leniency of Dr. Wong Che-to, of No. 4 Caroline Road, was responsible for a chance being given Wong Shing, 19, servant boy, by Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy yesterday, when he was charged with the larceny by servant of 400 eggs.

Detective-Sergeant Bentley said it was the habit of complainant to send defendant to the Sam Hing egg-shop every morning to convey eggs from there for delivery at the Hong Kong Hotel. On the mornings of October 10 and 12 the defendant took 200 eggs from the shop but instead of delivering them he sold them.

Dr. Wong intimated that he was not pressing the charge at all but it had to be brought up as otherwise he might lose his contract. He left the matter entirely to His Worship's pleasure.

Defendant was bound over in \$100 for one year and was ordered to pay \$12.80 arrears to the complainant.

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By Order,

C. B. BROWN,
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Hong Kong, 18th Oct., 1937.

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NINE-POWER PARLEY

Many Nations Accept Invitations

Brussels, Oct. 21.
Australia, China, Holland, New Zealand and South Africa have accepted their invitations to attend the Far Eastern conference at Brussels.

Canada having accepted earlier, this brings the nations of the British Empire solidly behind the peace effort made by Great Britain.

CHAMBERLAIN ON CHINA CONFLICT

London, Oct. 22.
Turning to the Brussels Conference, Mr. Chamberlain emphasized that the object of the Conference was to restore peace in the Far East, and he deprecated Mr. Attlee's suggestion that they should say what they must do if it was found impossible to make peace. For a peaceful method it was a mistake to go to the Conference talking of economic sanctions, pressure or force.

"We are there to make peace and not to extend the conflict," said the Premier. "The first thing we have to do is to see what means for a concerted effort can be devised to bring about a peaceful solution of the problem. Do not let our minds be deflected by hypothetical things that had not arisen, but let us put all our energy and co-operation into a task for the saving of lives that are daily being sacrificed in the warfare in China." (Ministerial cheers.)

POLICE CONSTABLE IN COURT

SERIOUS CHARGES ALLEGED

Police Constable No. 2211, L. Fat, stationed at Yau-mat Station, appeared on remand before Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court yesterday on charges of (a) on October 12 receiving a pawn ticket knowing it to be stolen, (b) on Oct. 14, at the Shing Yuen Pawnshop receiving a watch, and (c) misconduct.

Defendant was represented by Mr. C. A. S. Russ, while the prosecution was conducted by Chief Inspector Marks and Detective Sub-Inspector R. Cunningham. Outlining the case, Sub-Inspector Cunningham said that on Oct. 12 while Lau Ho-kwong was purchasing a ticket at the Kwong Ming Theatre, someone snatched his wrist watch from his person. Defendant witnessed the snatching, and approached complainant later and offered his services saying that he had an idea who was responsible for the crime.

A visit was paid to pawnshops and the watch was located in the Shing Yuen Pawnshop where it was pawned for a sum of two dollars. Defendant left instructions to the pawn broker not to allow the watch to be redeemed.

There was no success in locating the snatcher or the pawn-ticket for a few days, during which time defendant and complainant met frequently. Part of the conversation was that defendant asked complainant for a small sum of money to be given to the person who located the pawn-ticket.

On October 16, complainant went by himself to the pawnshop and found that the watch had been redeemed, and the person who redeemed it was defendant, as recognised by the pawn broker.

After collaborative evidence was given by complainant the hearing was then adjourned till Monday.

TRAFALGAR DAY

Usual Ceremonies And Functions

London, Oct. 21.
Trafalgar Day was celebrated in London with the usual ceremonies and functions.

Many wreaths and flowers from all parts of the world were laid at the foot of the Nelson Column in Trafalgar Square, including a wreath from the flotilla in the war zone in the Far East.

A wreath from New Zealand was sent preserved in a block of ice. Nelson's famous message, "England Expects Every Man To Do His Duty" was run up on Nelson's old ship, Victory, at Portsmouth, while a laurel wreath was laid on the spot on the old ship's deck where Nelson fell.

FOOD FOR POPULACE

Bilbao, Oct. 21.
Relief action for the population of the town of Gijon was taken immediately upon receipt of the news here of the fall of Asturias. Several ships which had been laden with provisions for the past few days at once left for Gijon while shipments of food and provisions were also made from several other towns.

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WHITHER JAPAN?

While the world as a whole is unanimous in its denunciation of the tactics adopted by the Japanese in their undeclared war against China, the militarists of Japan continue to make daily statements regarding the policy that they seem so determined to prosecute—namely, the "chastising" of China until she is too faint to fight.

In this connection we will endeavour to insert a thought into the metallic minds of Japan's war-mongering rulers. If they think for a moment that China will bow to their aggression—an aggression that is now commonly accepted to be nothing less than brigandage with murder, then they shall be rudely awakened, because just as they are bent on going on until their objective is gained, so are the Chinese ready to fight to the last man, and Japan has already had in this present escapade more than one lesson of what can be accomplished in the way of defence by a China united as a body and united in soul.

The eyes of the world have long since become focussed on the Sino-Japanese conflict. It is true that the Press have also "played up" the Mediterranean question, the Spanish civil war, Palestine, the Nyon Conference, and the Hitler-Mussolini conversations in Berlin, but it is equally true that the main topic of conversation has been and still is the Far Eastern situation, and this because the whole of the civilised world has been shocked by what the Japanese are pleased to call their "military operations."

Military operations indeed! The aerial attacks on innocent villagers in their defenceless hamlets and the bombing of refugee centres—that is practically the tone of the gallant Japanese attack.

Japan's object, it has been stated frequently in these columns, is to "beat China to her knees," but since the Japanese appear to have at last awakened to the fact that every bomb dropped and every round fired only has the effect of bringing the Chinese more closely together, they are now about to embark on another phase of "military operations." It has been rumoured that Japan may denounce the Nine-Power Treaty in order, it is presumed, to enable liberty of action. That means that things have now come to such an intolerable state that Japan must play a lone hand against the world if necessary, but to judge from the high feeling against them it seems an extremely dangerous game for them to play.

The opinion is even held in some quarters that the necessity for world action might not even arise, as the anti-militarist factions in Japan are reported to be gaining in power to such an extent that the masters of Japan may very soon have to cry "halt" or they will be obliged to devote all their energies and attentions in maintaining peace and order inside their own country.

To take the other view, it would be the best thing that can happen if all the great Powers

NINE-POWER TALKS

Japan Still Not Certain To Accept Invitation To Attend

Tokyo, Oct. 22.
The Japanese Foreign Office is still considering the reply to the Belgian invitation to attend the Nine Power Conference. A Foreign Office spokesman said that it was impossible for the Japanese delegation to reach Brussels by October 30, even if Japan accepts, and he added that the Emperor's permission has also to be obtained. It is interesting to note that the Japanese Press, as a whole, is hostile against acceptance of the invitation.

Answering a question regarding the inquiry in Hong Kong into the sinking of Chinese junks by a Japanese submarine, in the course of which a British Naval officer gave it as his opinion that he was morally certain that the submarine was a Japanese one, and that the witnesses maintain that the vessel was painted a silver grey, the Japanese spokesman said that all Japanese submarines were painted dark grey.

PRIME MINISTER'S REPLY

London, Oct. 21.
Mr. Neville Chamberlain, Prime Minister, replying in the Foreign Affairs debate, said developments at the Non-Intervention Committee yesterday had knocked the bottom out of the debate, and many speeches had to be torn up. Major Attlee had been compelled rapidly to shift his ground, and instead of taunting the Government with trucking to a dictator, had to throw doubts on the good faith of the Italian Government.

The Non-Intervention development had provided full justification for the patience and persistence of Mr. Anthony Eden during the long drawn negotiations (Ministerial Cheers).

Referring to the question of withdrawing volunteers from Spain, the Premier emphasised it would not be open to other countries to pour in arm and munitions to Spain while the withdrawal was taking place.

In connection with the fall of Gijon, he said the British Government had instructed the Ambassador to Spain to support to the full the appeal of the French Government to General Franco to use the prisoners in the most humane manner possible.

The Prime Minister mentioned that British ships, under protection of the British navy, had removed from Gijon 30,000 refugees (Cheers).

Magistrate Quits Court After Scene

When Mr. Quintin Hogg (son of the Lord Chancellor), defending in a case at Willesden Police Court recently, was cross-examining a witness, one of the magistrates (Mr. S. P. Viant, M. P. for West Wiltshire) remarked, "These are not in the charges. I take exception. This is done with a view to prejudicing the case."

Mr. Quintin Hogg—It is material to know what is behind the case. It is most improper conduct on behalf of the Court. I think you don't understand, Sir.

He then asked for the case to go before a reconstituted Bench, and added "It is quite intolerable that an opinion of this kind should be stated before my case has developed."

Mr. Viant said that he would leave the court, and the case proceeded.

combined in a perfectly peaceful economic war against Japan. Already the Japanese exporters are grumbling about the very poor state of business. How can they hope to send any of their own goods abroad when every available ship is commandeered to carry troops to North China? For that is exactly the position in Japan to-day, and if the outside world refuses to trade with her, where will the Land of the Rising Sun be?

MEDICAL RELIEF WORK IN CHINA WAR

(Continued from Page 1)

The first few days after the outbreak at Shanghai were days of hard work and feverish activity in the organising of emergency hospitals in the Settlement. They had more or less overcome the initial difficulties when at 4 p.m. on August 14, now generally known as "Bloody Saturday," bombs landed near the Palace Hotel and also in Avenue Edward VII. There were over 1,500 civilians wounded, apart from the dead, which number completely filled up the emergency hospitals as well as the regular centres. They certainly had a lot on their hands, and the situation was made worse by the closing of the shops, which made the procuring of medical supplies practically impossible.

PLANS FOR RELIEF WORK

Subsequently, members of the profession had got together and made certain plans for the work of relief. The general character of how medical relief was being undertaken in Shanghai since then had been: (1) caring for the wounded soldiers; (2) caring for the wounded civilians; (3) caring for the war refugees; (4) the combating of epidemics and (5) the collection and distribution of medical supplies.

In the beginning it was rather difficult to get the wounded soldiers into the Settlement. They found, said Dr. Fu, that only those soldiers wounded in the upper body, that is to say those that could walk, came for treatment; there were wounded soldiers lying in the areas of fighting who could not help themselves, and the Red Cross stretcher teams got them in only after much delay and anxiety.

Relief work was more centralized now, and the task had been made easier.

SUFFICIENT DOCTORS

Dr. Fu said that there were at present sufficient doctors and surgeons in Shanghai. There was a scheme, however, to send the wounded soldiers to base hospitals away from Shanghai, in which case more Chinese doctors would be required as those in Shanghai would be needed at the base hospitals. In this matter, the foreign doctors in Shanghai had agreed to conduct the relief work in the Settlement to the utmost extent possible.

NO SHELL-SHOCK CASE

The speaker said that it might interest people to know that though the Chinese soldiers suffered sometimes from many things not one case of shell-shock had yet been reported. The Chinese soldiers, he said, were not afraid of bomb or shell, but they did not like dirty water, mosquitoes and the food.

The food problem had been a serious one, and had engaged the attention of the Government as well as those undertaking medical relief. Chinese nutrition experts had now perfected a biscuit, which had been approved by Nanking, 15 of which as constituting the diet for one day would be sufficient to produce over 2000 calories in food value.

Gauze and bandages are now being produced by Chinese cotton mills in Shanghai, and in this respect they were self-sufficient. They were short of ether, alcohol, morphia and anti-tetanus vaccine, said Dr. Fu.

COST OF WORK

Giving an idea of the cost of the relief work, the speaker said that the initial cost of a bed was about \$20 and the maintenance was 67 cents per day.

The problem of medical relief for the refugees was largely being undertaken by the Shanghai Municipal Council Health Department, whose doctors were giving every possible attention to the various refugee camps. A hospital for the care of refugee children had just been opened.

The Chinese Medical Association was empowered to receive actual medical supplies and donations, said Dr. Fu. A plan had been evolved, and approved by the National Government, whereby donors of medical supplies and of money handed in to the Association would be given in return the equivalent of their valuable help in National Salvation Bonds. Hong Kong, he suggested, might start a drive in this way to assist the suffering soldiers and others.

ACUTE PROBLEM

Dr. Fu emphasised in conclusion that the problem was an acute one, and would become even more so as the war went on, and he appealed to all Chinese in Hong Kong and friends of China to help in the humane work that was being carried on. He also appealed to all Chinese doctors to volunteer

MALAYAN REVIEW

Trade Barriers

Trade barriers was touched upon at the half-yearly meeting of the Penang Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Jules Martin, who invariably takes an active share in the discussions at the meetings of the Chamber, followed his usual course on this occasion and made a Chamber contribution to the proceedings, comments the "Malaya Tribune." With his plea for freer trade and the abolition of all tariff barriers he is assured of ample sympathy, for there can be no doubt whatever that most of the ill to which the world is half to-day can be laid at the door of economic self-sufficiency. It has acted as a garotte on world trade and it gained in strength so much that Great Britain, the apostle of free trade, was herself forced to resort to tariffs for her own protection. That did not make matters in the wider aspect any better. But it cannot be concluded that Great Britain, in taking the action she did, was actuated by any motive other than self-preservation. As regards Mr. Martin's remarks, he was thinking of world trade and the stranglehold which economic nationalism has succeeded in locking upon it. There are already signs that the economic nationalists have discovered the vital flaw in their theory and there is a growing disposition to look upon free trade with a less prejudiced eye. But why consider world conditions when there are equally absurd conditions prevailing nearer home? There are the customs barriers in the Federated Malay States. Why not establish free trade on the mainland? It would be an excellent example to set the rest of the world.

A White Elephant

One of Malaya's white elephants, Prai, had its periodical outing last week at the half-yearly meeting of the Penang Chamber of Commerce. The pachyderm was trotted out for inspection by the chairman, Mr. T. C. Martine, and, after a not too favourable eye had been cast over its points, it was trotted back again. It will be recalled that the General Manager of the Federated Malay States Railways, in his annual report for 1936, contradicted the assertion that the port of Prai was a white elephant. In one respect he was right. The port will never be entirely useless but it will never be the port that its creators dreamed it would be. It will never be a deep water port for ocean going steamers. Mr. Martine subscribed to that view. He did not, he said, propose to re-open a rather weather-beaten controversy as to the advantages of port development on the mainland but he did consider that the bulk of cargo at Prai or Penang must always be handled by lighters and any new improvement scheme should be designed with that idea in the fore. So there we have it. Prai is an excellent lighterage port and nothing more. In effect it is still a white elephant but not so white as some of its traducers try to make out. When the amount of money that has been sunk in that estuary in an endeavour to justify the opinions of those who believed in Prai as a deep-water port is recalled, it is something to be thankful for that the future of the port is assured not on the grandiose lines originally visualised for it, but on a real utility basis. The only thing that rankles is that all this was seen and appreciated by not a few before the Prai wharves had got no further than plans on paper. As an offset to the irksome reminder of the many millions spent on its construction, there is always the consolation that Prai will eventually pay for its keep.

Welcome, Malaya

The decision of the Malayan Governments to book 5,000 square feet in the Colonial Pavilion of the Empire Exhibition, to be held in Glasgow next year, has afforded much satisfaction in Scottish business circles, and the hope is freely expressed that the display of Malayan exhibits will result in mutual trade benefits.

Welcoming Malaya to the Exhibition the Glasgow "News" in a short editorial says:—

"Your decision to book 5,000 square feet in the Colonial Pavilion is heartening to us in Glasgow, and will prove a wise departure for yourselves."

"Over here, we know, too little of what you mean to the Empire with your vast production of rubber and tin, and your strategic importance in times of peace as in times of international strife."

"We are vague in our knowledge of the Federated and Unfederated States and the Straits Settlements, and their relation to Britain, so that anything you can do to educate us will be of mutual benefit."

"The Sino-Japanese war reminds us forcibly of the part that Singapore plays in protecting the arteries of Empire, and safe-guarding the life-blood of our peoples."

"You will enlighten us more fully and by happier methods."

their aid. It was, he said, very encouraging to see how much Hong Kong had done in the way of medical relief, but he hoped that, greater assistance would be forthcoming.

Dr. C. Y. Wu, who is a nephew of Dr. Wu Lien-teh, then recounted his experiences during a train journey to Nanking while the Japanese were bombing the country along the railway line.

It struck him as most impressive that the Chinese soldier to-day was so different from his brother in the past. He met some wounded Cantonese soldiers on the train, and the change in their spirit and discipline was wonderful.

FOOD PROBLEM

Dr. Wu laid great emphasis on the food problem amongst the refugees. He said that the food now consisted of two bowls of plain rice each day, with perhaps a little salted turnip. This diet prolonged over a long period would produce beri-beri and other diseases, and would be most harmful. He hoped that the biscuit mentioned by Dr. Fu might solve the problem, for they might later, if the war continued indefinitely, have to draw on the refugees to serve as soldiers, and it was therefore essential that they should be fit and reminded the gathering that amongst other things clothes for refugees was urgently needed now that winter was approaching. He appealed to all for gifts of clothing, which could be distributed where they were most needed.

News of three Hong Kong doctors who had volunteered their service was supplied by the Chairman, who said that Drs. S. C. Ho and Li Ho-tien were now with the 4th Route Army (Cantonese) at the front, whilst Dr. Li Sung was with the 23rd Emergency Hospital in Shanghai.

TRAITORS EXECUTED

Amoy, Oct. 22.
Ten traitors who were charged to have formed a Fukien Autonomous Committee, which is a pro-Japanese puppet organ, were executed by the garrison commander, it was announced to-day.

Considerable arms and ammunition were found yesterday in a hotel owned by a person who disclosed that he is a Formosan. It is believed that the arms were intended for the autonomists.—International News Agency.

ITALIAN ASSURANCES ACCEPTED

London, Oct. 22.
Referring to the Balearic Islands, Mr. Chamberlain said in the course of his speech that he had accepted the repeated and most categorical assurances of the Italian Government that they had no territorial or strategic designs in Spain as being given in good faith. "They relieved us of the necessity of considering a situation," said Mr. Chamberlain, "which if it had arisen might have materially changed military conditions in the Western Mediterranean, and would have been a matter of serious concern to the British Government."

He hoped that the Non-Intervention development might be taken as the commencement of a process for removing any danger of the conflict in Spain, spreading outside, and stated that once that question was out of the way, we might get down to the deeper and more serious cause of European unrest and anxiety.—Reuter.

PROROGATION OF PARLIAMENT

King Expresses Concern Over Sino-Japanese Hostilities

SUFFERINGS OF NON-COMBATANTS CAUSE PARTICULAR DISTRESS

London, Oct. 22. The King's speech at the prorogation of Parliament expresses Their Majesties' deep satisfaction at the loyalty and affection manifested on the occasion of the Coronation. "The significance of this ceremony was emphasised by the presence of the Prime Ministers of my Dominions and representatives of my Empire in India and every part of my Empire overseas."

The speech continues: "The deliberations of the Imperial Conference which followed immediately after the Coronation afforded ample evidence of the value of such meetings for the discussion of matters of common concern and I earnestly trust that their result may enhance the security as well as the prosperity and happiness of my peoples in all parts of the British Commonwealth of nations."

Reference is also made to the successful outcome of the Conference at Montreux for the abolition of capitulations in Egypt and the Nyon Conference.

On the question of the Sino-Japanese conflict the speech says: "I have seen with the greatest concern the development of hostilities between Japan and China. The sufferings which have been inflicted upon innocent non-combatants by attacks from the air and at sea have caused me particular distress. I trust that the conference of the Powers which is shortly to be called together may contribute to bring this deplorable conflict to an end."

Note is made of the fact that the London Naval Treaty of 1936 was now ratified by all the signatories and the Anglo-German and Anglo-Soviet Bi-lateral Naval Agreements concluded.

Regarding the rearmament programme, the speech says: "The heavy burden of this is to some extent lightened by the continued growth of trade, employment, saving and purchasing power among my people."

The speech then reviews measures to be passed during the session—
Reuter.

ANOTHER JAPANESE "BIG PUSH" FAILS

Another Japanese "big push" has failed, according to news received in the Colony last evening and this time it is added that so stubborn was the Chinese defence against the drive that the attacking forces suffered considerable losses.

The day (yesterday) started with another attempt by the Japanese air force to reach Nanking but the Chinese anti-aircraft guns drove them away long before they could get anywhere near the capital. Their efforts to bomb Soochow, however, were a little more successful and they managed to drop a few light missiles here, though with not any very telling effect. One heavy Japanese bomber was brought down and it crashed into the river in flames. The pilot was burnt beyond recognition but the identification marks on the plane showed that

it belonged to the 3rd Japanese Air Squadron.

On the Shanghai-Woosung front the Chinese launched a very heavy offensive and not since the hostilities started some 70 days ago have their artillery fire been so intense. Under cover of this barrage of fire the Chinese troops attacked the enemy positions and after about two hours retired to their own lines, having accomplished what they had set out to do.

Another report says that the Chinese troops met with considerable success on the Honan border and that they had entered Hopei with the Japanese fast retreating.

Further proof of the heavy casualties sustained by the Japanese was forthcoming when another transport with 1,000 wounded Japanese troops as well as carrying the ashes of those killed, left Shanghai for Japan yesterday.

Roosevelt's Son Given Important Task

Washington, Oct. 21. President Roosevelt's eldest son, James, has been given the important task of inaugurating a scheme of government rationalisation.

As President Roosevelt's plan for rationalisation has hitherto hung fire, he has authorised his son to act as co-ordinator.

To-day Mr. James Roosevelt, accompanied by the representatives of agencies concerned and intends to hold a weekly conference.

Reuter.

JAPANESE BOMB TWO CITIES

Tokyo, Oct. 21. Nanking as well as Pukow were again raided by Japanese bombers to-day and a number of bombs were dropped on the ammunition factories and other munition depots according to reports received here.

The reports fail to give the extent of the damage done, but another report states that six American airmen have arrived at Nanking from Hong Kong and have offered their services to the Chinese air force.

Transocean.

WORLD POWERS URGED TO CO-OPERATE

To Stop Japan's Aggression

Shanghai, Oct. 22. In a special radio broadcast to the United States to-day, Mr. T. V. Soong, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Bank of China, urged the American Government to co-operate with other Powers of the world to stop Japanese aggression in China.

The well-known Chinese financier declared that a policy of neutrality on the Sino-Japanese issue to-day cannot stop Japanese aggression in this country. He emphasised that such an attitude will not contribute towards world peace and order or can it safeguard nations that remain neutral.—
Central News.

JAPANESE MUNITIONS AND PLANES DESTROYED

Shanghai, Oct. 22. Chinese military headquarters announced to-night that during the air raids carried out by Chinese bombers over Shanghai early this morning a huge missile scored a direct hit on the Japanese-owned Shanghai Cotton and Spinning Mill on Pingliang and Meichow Roads, which started a big fire. As the mill was being used as a barrack, a number of Japanese soldiers were killed and injured.

On Tsitsihar Road a Japanese munitions depot was hit and a large quantity of military supplies were destroyed. The fire, which started shortly after the explosion, was brought under control after three hours.

Foreign observers to-day confirm the report that seven Japanese planes were destroyed at the airbase near Shanghai university on the night of October 14 when Chinese bombers from the inland raided the Japanese stronghold.—
Central News.

SHELLS DUMPED IN HARBOUR

Singapore, Oct. 22. The 400 old six-inch shells which were found aboard a Japanese fishing lugger by the local police were to-day dumped in the harbour. It has now been ascertained that the shells belong to the German raider Emden which was destroyed on Cocos Island during the Great War.—
Reuter's Bulletin Service.

MORE TROUBLE IN HAIFA

Arab Killed In Jerusalem

Haifa, Oct. 22. Further trouble occurred to-day in Haifa. Two

MORE MEDICAL AID FOR NORTH CHINA

HONG KONG UNIT FOR HOSPITAL BASE WORK

Another medical unit, composed of 20 trained doctors, nurses and assistants will be sent from Hong Kong to a base hospital at the northern front sometime at the end of this month by the Chinese Youths' Medical Relief Association.

The first unit of two doctors, one medical intern, five senior medical students, seven nurses and two pharmacists, was sent north by the association on September 29 and the members are now working at one of the provisional hospitals for Chinese troops.

In co-operation with the St. John's Ambulance, the association is at present enlisting women nurses who will be organised into a special corps to be sent north for base hospital work.

The Chinese Youths' Medical Relief Association, sponsored by a group of young Chinese, including Messrs. Sun Tse Ping and Sun Tse Klong, sons of Dr. and Mrs. Sun Fo, is rendering an important service in supplying medical relief units to the base hospitals at the front where Cantonese troops are convalescing. Each unit being sent north is fully equipped with working instruments, facilities and medical supplies from the local organisation.

Since the organisation was inaugurated here early in September more than \$11,000 voluntary contributions have been received from various groups and individuals.

Mr. George Li, of the Overseas Chinese Banking Corporation, contributed the entire proceeds of \$620.70 which he raised through a musical concert at the China Fleet Club on September 29. Sponsors of the association include: Mr. Sun Tse Ping, Mr. Sun Tse Klong, Miss Hu Mu Lan, Dr. Arthur Woo, Dr. Wong Mun, Dr. Chiang Fa Yuen, Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Kwok, Mr. Feng Bing Fun, Mr. Tso Heek An, Mr. Parkson Chun, Mr. Chun Ti Yat, Mr. Wei Mun Wei, Miss Doo York Lin, Mr. Cheong Lan Chou, Mr. Wong Yung Yin, Mr. Wong Su Poin, Mr. Kuo Shek Wai, Dr. Lo Tung Fang, Mr. Wong Siu Wah, Mr. Wu Soo Ching, Miss Lee Sun Kum, Mrs. Dung Sai Cheng, Mr. Lo Shek Jen, Mr. Kwok Hin Wang.

Arabs were shot by unknown assailants in the morning. One of the victims subsequently died. In Jerusalem an Arab was killed in the main thoroughfare. The Iraq pipe-line was punctured in two places in the last 24 hours.—
Reuter's Bulletin Service.

BRITISH MALT, BRITISH HOPS,
THERE'S NO FAULT IN —

ALLSOPP'S

BRITISH TO THE CORE, IT NEVER LOSES
ITS "HEAD"

CALDBECK'S

GEN. WU TE-CHEN

Endorses H.K. Governor's Opinion

Canton, Oct. 22. Interviewed by the Central News Agency to-day, General Wu Te-chien, Chairman of the Provincial Government, heartily endorsed the statement made by H. E. Mr. N. L. Smith, the Officer Administering the Hong Kong Government, at yesterday's meeting of the Legislative Council with reference to the Sino-Japanese situation.

General Wu declared that the impartial and seasoned opinion expressed by Mr. Smith just before the opening of the Nine-Power Conference at Brussels should deserve the attention and praise of those who are concerned with the Far Eastern situation.

General Wu pointed out that there had never been a time when Hong Kong and Kwangtung feel the necessity of mutual dependence and assistance as at present. Even at this juncture of national crisis China, he asserted, would do everything in her power to eliminate anything that might affect the prosperity or threaten the life-line of Hong Kong and Kwangtung. This might be testified by the strenuous effort exerted by the Chinese authorities for the maintenance of land and water communications between the British Colony and the Chinese southern most province.—
Central News.

TRAIN TRACKS BOMBED

CANTON EXPRESS DELAYED

The Chinese section of the Kowloon-Canton Railway was subjected to severe bombardments by Japanese planes yesterday, the track being damaged at three points thus causing much delay in the time table.

The morning express which left Canton at 8.15 a.m. yesterday and which was scheduled to arrive about 11.30 a.m. reached Kowloon station at 10.28 p.m. with a full complement of passengers. Some thrilling accounts were related by the driver, firemen and passengers of the express.

No less than three attempts were made at the destruction of the railway and the most severe was at Cheungmuktau where it was stated that four big holes were made on the tracks.

According to some of the passengers who witnessed the actual bombing while waiting at Cheungmuktau station for the arrival of the express to bring them to Kowloon, six Japanese planes were at 3.30 p.m. flying extremely low, with their national marks

clearly visible. Eight bombs were released and three hits were registered.

Repair gangs were at once despatched from the local substations to repair the lines.

The train had to stop on three occasions at different stations.

The noon train and the evening express were expected to arrive respectively about mid-night and 1 a.m. yesterday.

U.S. STILL NERVOUS

Washington, Oct. 21. Some nervousness regarding the degree of international co-operation to which the United States may be committed at Brussels, continues.

Six peace societies have issued a statement expressing alarm that the non-application of the Neutrality Act leaves the way open for American participation in sanctions.

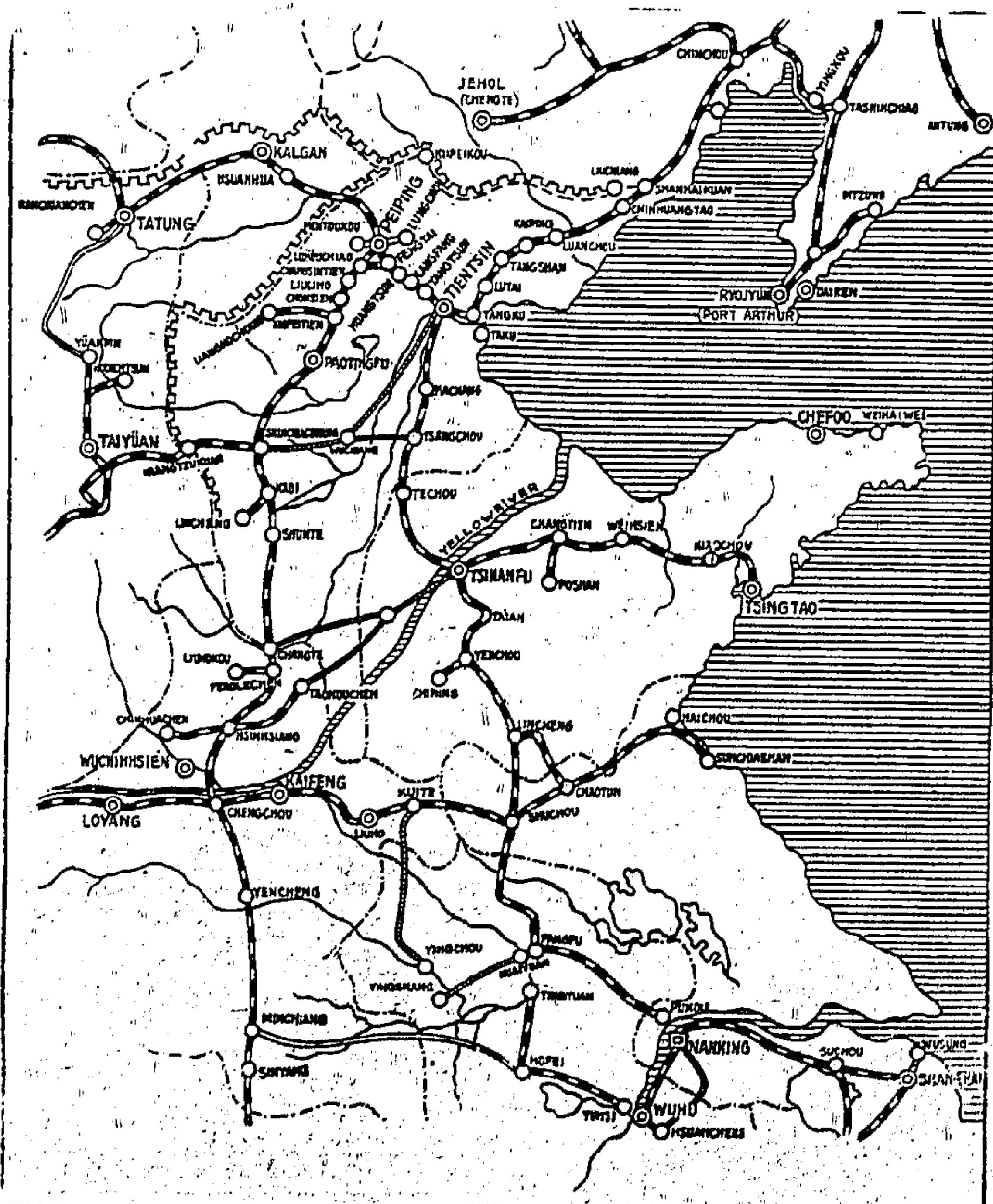
The Washington "Star," in an editorial, however, says this is no time to deride possible Anglo-American collaboration for liquidating the Far Eastern mess.



Wreckage of a train which was bombed at Soongiang by Japanese planes as, packed with refugees from Shanghai, it stood waiting in the station for a clear track.



Japanese bombers' diabolical handiwork at Sunkiang railway station on September 8, when a refugee train was attacked. Note the two human bodies blasted up to the trees.



HONG KONG VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS

ORDERS BY LT.-COL. R. C. B. ANDERSON, M.C. COMMANDANT
HONG KONG VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS

RANGE TAKERS COURSE

Parade at H.Q. at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 26.

STORES

Any clothing and equipment required by Companies for Camp must be drawn from Quarter-master before October 31.

COMPANY GAS INSTRUCTOR

The following has qualified by examination as Company Gas Instructor:—Armoured Car Section: No 2636, Sgt. F. Brett.

PARADES

Corps 1st Battery

A Section:—October 28, 6 p.m. Parade at Belchers. Gun drill, etc. Dress: Overalls, caps and gun floor shoes.

L Section:—October 29, 5.45 p.m. Parade at H.Q. Gun Drill, etc. Dress: Overalls, caps and gun floor shoes.

Signalling Class:—October 26, 5.30 p.m. and October 29, 5.30 p.m. Parade at H.Q.

2nd (Improvise) Battery
October 27, 5.30 p.m. Parade in H.M.S. "Tamar." Gun drill. Dress: Overalls and S.D. Caps.

Engineer Company
October 25: Miniature Range 5.30 p.m.
October 28: D.E.L. manning at Belchers Fort 5.45 p.m. Dress: Overalls and Caps.

Corps Signals
Parade at Corps H.Q. at 5.30 p.m. on October 26.

Machine Gun Troop
October 26: Parade at H.Q. at 5.30 p.m. for M.G. Instruction.

Armoured Car Section
October 28: A and B Classes: Instruments. C Class: I.A. Nos. 3 and 4 positions.

October 29: A and B Classes: Instruments. C Class: I.A. Nos. 3 and 4 positions.

Motor Machine Gun Platoon
October 29: Parade at H.Q. at 5.30 p.m.

A and B Classes: Indication and Recognition.

C Class: Practice for Part I A.M.G.C.

No. 1 (M.G.) Company
Parade on October 29, 5.30 p.m. at H.Q. Section drill direct. Recruits—E.G.D.

No. 2 (M.G.) Company
(Scottish)
October 28: Parade at H.Q. at 5.30 p.m. I.A.

The following have qualified as First Class Machine Gunners on October 10, 1937, and are entitled to wear the M.G. Badge.

No. 1 Platoon: Cpl. C. R. Logan, Pte. J. R. Litch, Pte. A. W. Macdonald.

No. 2 Platoon: Cpl. E. M. Bryden, Cpl. A. D. Wyllie, L/Cpl. W. K. Robinson, Ptes. H. W. Bonner, W. Sharp, A. A. Bremner, J. C. Miller, D. McColligan, and V. R. Gordon.

No. 3 (M.G.) Company
Parade at H.Q. at 5.30 p.m. on October 25: A and B Classes: Indication and recognition. C Class: I.A. All Positions.

Parade at H.Q. at 5.30 p.m. on October 28: A and B Classes: Indication and recognition tests. C Class: E.G.D. Recapitulation.

The following have qualified as 1st Class Machine Gunners and are entitled to wear the M.G. Badge without wreath:—A/Lt. V. H. White, A/Cpl. Winch, A/Cpl. C. A. White, A/Cpl. Roylance, Pte. A. Zimmerman, Pte. W. Shaw, Pte. D. Hung, Pte. Long, A/Lt. H. E. Gubby, A/Cpl. G. J. White, L/Cpl. F. C. C. Quah, A/Cpl. W. Broadbridge, Pte. F. Zimmerman, Pte. F. Abbas, Pte. F. Broadbridge, Pte. A. Hung, Pte. Spencer, A/Cpl. E. Zimmerman, A/Cpl. D. J. Willis, L/Cpl. Knox, A/Cpl. N. Broadbridge, L/Cpl. Winyard, Pte. K. H. Lim, Pte. Brown, and Pte. Rapley.

No. 4 (M.G.) Company
Parade Wednesday, October 27 at 5.30 p.m. at H.Q.—A Squad: Infantry Training under C.S.M. Slatery. B Squad: M.G. Training under C.S.M. Terry and regular N.C.O.s. C Squad: Infantry Training under Lt. V. C. Branson, M.C.

In order that O Squad can catch up their training with the other two Squads they will parade on Fridays as well as Wednesdays until further notice.

It is notified for information that recruiting for No. 4 (M.G.) Company is closed until further notice. Prospective recruits may register their names on the waiting list.

PORTUGUESE COMPANIES
No. 5 (M.G.) Company
Parade at H.Q. at 5.30 p.m. on October 25.

Elementary Gun Drill, including all recruits not exempted for 9 and 10 Platoons of A Company.

A.A. Company
Lewis Gun: (S.A.T. Col. 11).

Category A: Class 1, Probable Stoppages.

Category A: Class 2, I.A. Stoppages pp. 58-75.

Category B: Mechanism, Backward and Forward Action pp. 46-51.

Recruits: Squad Drill with Arms, Sgt. Britto.

Peak Range
The Peak Range is available on October 24 for all recruits of both Companies who have fired ball cartridge at Kennedy Road Range.

Range Officer: 2/Lt. F. V. V. Ribeiro.

Fall in at Corps H.Q. at 8.30 a.m. and proceed by Peak Tram to Range.

Stonecutters
All N.C.O.s and men of A.A. Company (except recruits) who did not fire Lewis Gun course on October 17 will fire on October 31. Members of the Unit Reserve are particularly requested to turn up. Details will be issued later.

Qualification—L.G.
The following N.C.O.s and Men qualified as Lewis Gun Marksmen on 17.10.37 and are entitled to wear the L.G. Badge:—C.S.M. M. F. Baptista, Corp. J. D. Remedios, L/Cpl. M. L. Roza, Pte. H. E. Osmund, Pte. A. A. Tavares, Pte. A. Aquino, Sgt. H. M. Britto, L/Cpl. E. C. Lawrence, Pte. M. M. Silva, Pte. N. A. Beltrao, Pte. A. C. Soares, and Pte. J. M. Xavier.

Machine Gun Bn. Signals
October 25: Subsection D parade at H.Q. at 5.15 p.m. Dress: Blue Overalls. Motor Cycle check.

October 29: Subsections B and C parade at H.Q. at 5.15 p.m. Practical cable work. Ref: ST. Sections 43-44.

Camp: All ranks should check uniform and equipment reporting deficiencies not later than October 29.

Air Arm
Parade at H.Q. at 5.30 p.m. on October 28 for a lecture.

Army Service Corps Company
Parade at Whitfield Barracks at 10 a.m. on October 24. Dress: Uniform. Maps will be issued.

Members with private cars are requested to bring them.

Pay Section
There will be no parade on October 29.

APPOINTMENTS & PROMOTIONS
Pte. J. Redman, No. 1 (M.G.) Company, is appointed to Lance-Corporal w.e.f. 22.10.37.

The following appointments and promotions are made in the No. 2 (M.G.) Company w.e.f. 21.10.37:—

Cpl. E. M. Bryden to be Sergeant, Cpl. A. D. Wyllie to be Sergeant, L/Cpl. D. L. Prophet to be Corporal, L/Cpl. W. K. Robinson to be Corporal, Pte. D. McColligan to be Lance-Sergeant, and Pte. T. Swan to be Lance-Corporal.

TRANSFER
C.Q.M.S. B. E. Maughan is transferred from A.S.C. Co. to Pay Section with effect from 22.10.37.

Sgt. R. B. Brown is transferred from M.G. Bn., H.Q. to Pay Section w.e.f. 22.10.37.

Cpl. W. J. Thompson is transferred from M.G. Bn. Signals to No. 2 (M.G.) Company with rank of Private w.e.f. 22.10.37.

STRENGTH
The following members of the Portuguese Companies are approved to resign on completion of service:—Ptes. H. E. Silva and J. C. Santos, 25.8.37; Ptes. W. C. Ogley, R. M. Xavier, M. T. Nunes and C. V. Marques, 26.8.37; Ptes. E. A. Souza, 30.8.37; R. E. Costa, 1.9.37; and L. R. Campos, 22.10.37.

The following are permitted to resign:—Portuguese Companies: Pte. L. Z. Marques, 11.3.37; Pte. W. M. Sousa, 25.8.37; Pte. H. E. Veltra, 25.8.37; Ptes. C. V. Castro, B. D'Assumpcao and C. L. Rosa, 26.8.37.

Corps 1st Battery (A Section): Gnr. L. C. Dennis, 29.9.37. Pay Section: Pay Sgt. W. J. Burling, 22.10.37.

STRENGTH
L Section (15.10.37):—Guns. Lal Sze Kit, Gloucester Hotel; Chan Kang Chuen, Lyson and Hall; and Lawrence Sun, Crown Life Ins.

No. 4 (M.G.) Co. (15.10.37):—Pte. Ho Yuk Kwan, 15-19, Maria House.

M.G. Bn. Sig. (18.10.37):—Signaller D. Guard, United Press Ass.; and Signaller J. Guard, Wm. Powell Ltd.

No. 4 (M.G.) Co. (20.10.37):—Ptes. Chan Kwai Ki, 36, Ship St.; Mok Wah Chan, La Salle College; Pau Hon Lam, Chinese Emigrant Middle School; and Mok Chow Tung, La Salle School.

A Section (21.10.37):—Gunner P. Watson, 13, Hillwood Rd.

L Section (21.10.37):—Gunner Ting Zeh, 57, Hill Rd. and Gunner Hui Che Shing, 29, Robinson Rd.

The enlistment of No. 2901 Pte. J. K. H. Wong appeared in Corps

FANLING GOLF

Starting times for Fanling tomorrow are as hereunder:—

Old Course

9.30 a.m.—D. S. Robb and W. A. Stewart.

9.35 a.m.—O. B. G. Hull and A. A. Lopes.

9.40 a.m.—T. Paton and T. A. Pearce.

9.45 a.m.—L. R. Andrewes and J. J. Basto.

9.50 a.m.—Col. H. H. Blake and A. J. Dennis.

9.55 a.m.—K. S. Robertson and E. Sadick.

10.00 a.m.—D. S. Edward and D. J. Gilmore.

10.04 a.m.—J. H. M. Andrew and R. K. Valentine.

10.08 a.m.—W. Park and G. A. Lieper.

10.12 a.m.—P. Morrison and H. N. Williamson.

10.16 a.m.—I. H. Geare and K. K. Rounds.

10.20 a.m.—A. Morse and K. S. Morrison.

10.24 a.m.—W. Keith Robinson and R. H. Griffiths.

10.28 a.m.—T. E. and J. L. C. Pearce.

10.32 a.m.—H. Overy and W. J. E. Mackenzie.

10.36 a.m.—E. L. Groom and F. A. M. Elliott.

10.40 a.m.—E. C. Norris and B. Rolfe.

10.44 a.m.—T. R. Chassels and T. Low.

10.48 a.m.—A. V. Greaves and A. B. Purves.

10.52 a.m.—P. C. Jackson and A. Bremner.

10.56 a.m.—L. C. F. Bellamy and J. Forbes.

New Course

9.35 a.m.—J. M. Mackie and W. Taylor.

9.40 a.m.—A. T. Braley and O. E. C. Marton.

9.45 a.m.—F. Groves and L. Goldman.

9.50 a.m.—I. Newton and E. T. McMullen.

9.55 a.m.—E. D. da Roza and E. J. R. Mitchell.

10.00 a.m.—P. H. Scoones and F. E. A. Remedios.

10.05 a.m.—A. W. da Roza and A. E. Lissaman.

10.08 a.m.—J. Stenersen and W. G. Robertson.

10.32 a.m.—Mrs. Overy and Mrs. Mackenzie.

HOME RUGBY

London, Oct. 21.

Oxford University won a Union Rugby encounter to-day, beating Leicester by 14 points to 11.—*Reuter.*

REFUGEE VESSEL IN INSURGENT HANDS

British Cruiser Releases Steamer

London, Oct. 21.

The British cruiser Southampton to-day released the British steamer Stangrove, carrying 600 refugee women and children to Bordeaux, from insurgent capture.

The Stangrove was seized by an insurgent trawler off Gijon yesterday.

The Southampton soon arrived on the scene and demanded her release from General Franco's cruiser Almirante Cervantes, which was in the neighbourhood, on the ground that the Stangrove was not in territorial waters at the time of the capture.

The release was made with ill grace, and the Southampton escorted the Stangrove on her way.—*Reuter.*

Orders No. 40-37 dated 8.10.37 is hereby cancelled.

G. S. FRIZZLE (Capt.), Adjutant, H.K.V.D.C.

NOTICES

Rifle Meeting

Rifle Meeting Committee will meet at H.Q. on November 1 at 5.30 p.m.

The Corps Rifle Meeting will now be held on April 24, 1938.

No. 1 (M.G.) Company Dinner

Annual Company Dinner will be held on November 5 at 8 p.m.

Tickets at \$2.50 per head are now available from the Dinner Committee (C.S.M. Terry, C.Q.M.S. Edwards, L/Cpl. Redman and Pte. Gilmore).

AFFILIATED UNIT

Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.

Corps

There will be a meeting on Oct. 25 at 5.30 p.m. at the P.W.D. Offices.

(Sgd.) K. DURRAN, Commandant, Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D. Corps.

Sporting Fixtures

RUGBY FOOTBALL

There will be two games of Rugby football on the Navy ground at Causeway Bay to-day. The premier match, which will commence at 4.30 p.m. will be between the Navy and the Club. This game will be preceded by a match commencing at 3.15 p.m. between the Club "A" XV and an Army XV.

The Navy and Club teams are as follows:—

NAVY:—A. B. Knapman (Dorsetshire), Instr. Lt. Britton (Dorsetshire), L. S. Asquith (Daisy), A. N. Other (Eagle), Sub-Lieut. Kyrke (Regent), Lieut. Talbot (Odin), A. N. Other (Eagle), A. N. Other (Eagle), Lt. Maydon (Orpheus), Lt. Northey (Diana), Lt. Woods (Grampus), S. B. A. Stoker (Medway), and Sub-Lieut. Anderson (Olympus).

CLUB 1ST XV:—J. P. Whitham (Captain), D. H. Stewart, M. W. McGrath, W. E. Grieve, H. D. Rdwell, A. H. R. Butcher, J. L. Bonnar, R. G. Geer, K. W. Salter, K. A. Watson, W. E. Peers, R. E. H. Nelson, J. C. Miller, A. J. G. Taylor, and J. Redman.

CLUB "A" XV:—E. M. Watts, A. W. Murray, M. G. Carruthers, D. Campbell, H. van Leeuwen, C. W. Lyle, J. R. Henderson, A. S. Olsen, J. S. Dunnott (Captain), T. H. Pratt, T. Swan, A. W. Holden, H. W. E. Heath, J. K. Birt, and M. W. Scott.

Referees (4.15 p.m.): Surg.-Lt. Comdr. Nicholson; (4.30 p.m.): Captain Dibley.

TO-DAY

Badminton.—Entries Close for Badminton League Match.

Cricket.—Second Division, Army "A" v. Navy (L); Recto v. Police (L); Craigengower v. Army (L); University v. K.C.C. (L); Hong Kong C.C. v. Indian R.C. (F).

Football.—First Division, Club v. Seaforths (Club ground), 4.30 p.m.; St. Joseph's v. Kowloon (Kowloon), 4.30 p.m. p.m. Middlesex v. Eastern (Sookunpo), 4.30 p.m.; South China "A" v. South China "B" (Caroline Hill), 4.30 p.m. Second Division, Club v. Eastern (Club ground), 3 p.m.; South China v. Kowloon (Caroline Hill), 3 p.m.; Seaforths v. Middlesex (Sookunpo), 3 p.m.; European Engineers v. 5th Bde. R.A. (St. Joseph's), 3 p.m. Third Division (Hong Kong), Medical v. 5th Bde. R.A. (St. Joseph's), 4.30 p.m.; Police v. Engineers (Navy ground), 4.30 p.m.; Ordnance v. Powhattan (Military ground), 3 p.m.; Stanley v. Service Corps (Military ground), 4.30 p.m.; Third Division (Kowloon), Air Force v. 24th Bty. R.A. (Chatham Road), 3 p.m.; University v. 20th Bty. R.A. (Chatham Road), 4.30 p.m.; Kumau v. Seaforths (Prince Edward Road), 3 p.m.; Portuguese S.A. v. Signals (King's Park), 4.30 p.m.

Hockey.—Shanghai Ladies v. C. B. A. Ladies (C. B. A. ground), 3.30 p.m.

Lawn Bowls.—Presentation of Prizes (Hong Kong Hotel), 8 p.m.; C.C.C. Closing of Season Match.

Racing.—Hong Kong Jockey Club's Ninth Extra Race Meeting, Happy Valley, 2 p.m.

Riding.—Beginners Cavalcade (Equine Sports Club), 4.30 p.m.

Yachting.—Second Commodore's

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TO-MORROW

Football.—Football Association v. South China (Caroline Hill), 4.30 p.m. (Charity Game); First Division: Kowloon Chinese v. Police (Caroline Hill), 3 p.m. Referee: Isley, Linesmen, Farr and F. Silva.

Police v. Chinese Engineers (Club ground), 3 p.m. Referee, Aldridge.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 25
Meeting.—Half-Monthly, Hong Kong Football Referees' Association, in Room 205, 2nd Floor, Gloucester Building, 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27
Badminton.—Y.M.C.A. Badminton, in the West Lounge, 8.30 p.m.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28
Badminton.—Y.M.C.A. Badminton, in the West Lounge, 8.30 p.m.

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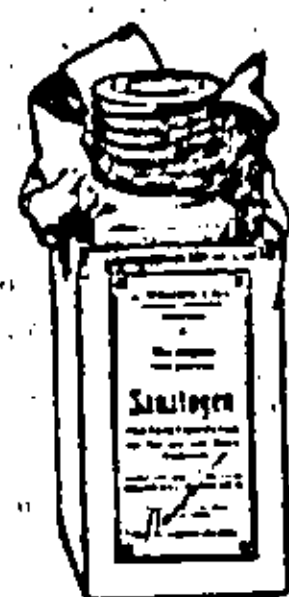
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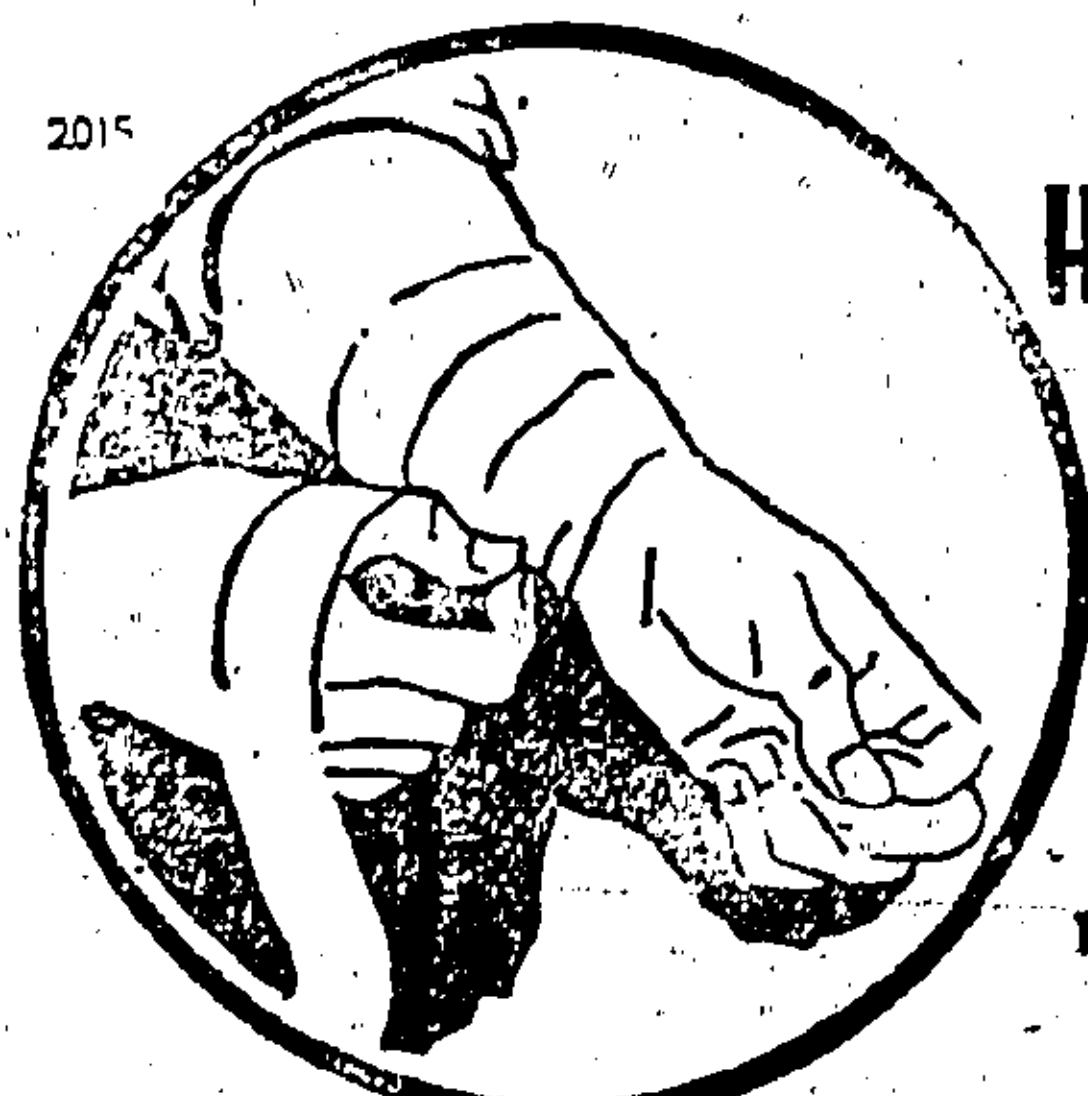
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SINO-JAPANESE UNREST

Mr. Anthony Eden Gives Condensed Account

London, Oct. 21. Speaking in the debate on foreign affairs at the opening of the new session in the House of Commons to-day, Mr. Anthony Eden, the Foreign Minister, gave a condensed account of the efforts made to secure a settlement of the Sino-Japanese conflict.

Whatever the military outcome in the Far East, it must inevitably result in the impoverishment of both nations engaged in the conflict, he said.

"Britain regrets these events more deeply," Mr. Eden continued, "not only because of our great commercial interests in the Far East but also because just previously to the outbreak of the conflict we actually were in consultation with the Japanese Government, which might have led to a programme of international co-operation with the Chinese Government for improvement of relations and the development of trade. These conversations were interrupted immediately the conflict broke out and a resumption is clearly impossible in the present circumstances."

SIMILARITY OF ACTION

He said that in all of the British efforts, the Government had kept in the closest touch with the governments of other countries particularly concerned, especially the United States.

The views of these governments, and the action Britain had taken, either with the Japanese or Chinese governments, or both, had been substantially similar in character, said Mr. Eden.

Mr. Eden recalled the League Assembly's discussions on the Far East, and the initiation of the Nine-Power Conference meeting in Brussels on October 30. He hoped shortly to announce the names of the British delegates.

At Geneva, certain pronouncements were made both about the origin of the conflict in the admirably drafted document of the Advisory Committee, and also about the air bombing which had occurred.

Mr. Eden said: "I will add nothing more (on the reports drawn up at Geneva regarding the origin of the conflict and air bombing) except to say that our own representative there made it abundantly clear that we fully endorsed every word in those reports, and everything they say."

"We welcome the summoning of this conference because, in our view, a meeting of the Powers principally concerned, in the capital of one of the signatories to the Nine-Power Treaty is the best hope of finding means of terminating this unhappy conflict."

Mr. Eden recalled the recommendation of the sub-committee on the initiation of the conference and said it would seem from that the mandate was a definite one.

UNWISE STEP

"Naturally we consulted with the other governments interested and will continue to do so until the moment of the conference. I have received a message saying that M. Yvon Delbos, the French Foreign Minister, will himself attend the conference, that the Italian Government will send a delegation and that the United States will be represented by Mr. Norman Davis."

"To talk about what is to be included and excluded at the Brussels conference in advance would be very unwise. We have a definite agenda given us by the League, and the proper procedure to follow is, in consultation with other treaty signatories who will all be present, to do the utmost within our power to discharge its mandate."

"If the meeting of the Nine-Power Conference can achieve the paramount desire of everybody, and see ended the slaughter, suffering and misery of which we are witnesses in China to-day—and our view is that such a conference is of the greatest possible service," added Mr. Eden.

He continued: "If it falls, then we enter into a new situation which we shall have to contemplate."

"The British Government will enter the conference with the determination to do everything in its power to assure the success of its labours."

THE SPANISH CONFLICT

Mr. Eden then turned to other matters, including the Spanish conflict. He said in the Spanish war the British Government's determination was to concentrate on what was possible by a combina-

tion of patience and persistence, and, even at the risk of criticism and misrepresentation, to localise the war and to watch over British interests.

Non-intervention in Spain must be sharply distinguished from indifference to territorial integrity in Spain, and Britain's imperial communications through the Mediterranean.

"There will be no indifference on the part of the Government where it is clear that vital British interests are threatened."

British re-armament, he said, bore in it neither the overt nor latent strains of revenge, either in the Mediterranean or anywhere else. Such sentiments were wholly alien to the British character, and even were Government to harbour them—which it does not—the British people would never be willing to give effect to them.

"Our position in the Mediterranean is simply this. We mean to maintain a right-of-way on this main arterial road. We are justified in expecting such a right-of-way should be unchallenged. We have never asked, and we do not ask to-day, that that right should be exclusive."

MAJOR ATTLEE

Major Clement Attlee, Leader of the Opposition, following Mr. Eden in the debate, asked if the Nine-Power Treaty was going to be the basis of the conference or was there going to be another kind of Hoare-Laval deal?

The Government's policy seemed to be whether they could get the aggressor to take half a loaf instead of a whole loaf.

He asked Mr. Neville Chamberlain, the Prime Minister, whether he would undertake not to do anything incompatible with the Nine-Power Treaty at the conference, and also, if China accepted an armistice, and Japan refused, would the Government propose an international embargo on Japan?

JAPAN'S WEAK FINANCES

It was not enough, he said, that the League should condemn the aggressor, but practical steps should be taken.

He believed Japan only undertook this adventure because the British and other governments' attitude had always been for letting the aggressor "get away with it."

He believed Japan's financial position to be extremely weak, and if one tenth of the resolution shown about British shipping in the Mediterranean was shown in the Far East, the invasion of China could be stopped.

It was a deliberate piece of aggression, and the inevitable consequence of the British policy with Japan began her Manchurian aggression.

THE LAST RESORT

Sir Archibald Sinclair, leader of the Liberal Party, contributing to the debate, said if, in the last resort, Japan's chief customers among the nations refused to take exports from her, it would be impossible for Japan to finance her war.

He recognised there were vulnerable places, like Hong Kong which would not care to participate in such a policy.

Sir Archibald Sinclair summed up his policy, thus: First, an appeal to mediation and assurance, not only to China but to Japan, that Britain realised she had legitimate grievances against Britain and other nations and that those grievances would be considered—trade discrimination and other grievances—with the intention of remedying them; Secondly, if that failed, that economic pressure must be prepared with sufficient force behind it to make it effective if it were challenged.—
Reuter.

JAPAN GIVES UP EXTRATERRITORIAL RIGHTS IN MANCHUKUO

Tokyo, Oct. 21.

Japan is to renounce, as from December 1, 1937, extraterritorial rights in Manchukuo and will transfer the administration of the Southern Manchurian Railway to Manchukuo, according to the draft of the treaty between two countries, approved by a special committee of the Japanese State Council to-day.

It is taken for granted that the plenary session of the Japanese State Council on October 27, will endorse this decision.—
Transocean.



MR. ANTHONY EDEN

ITALY TO ATTEND NINE POWER PARLEY

London, Oct. 21.

Mr. Anthony Eden, Secretary for Foreign Affairs, told the House of Commons to-day that the Italian Government will definitely attend the Nine Power Conference at Brussels.—
Reuter.

EGYPT'S CABINET MAY RESIGN

Cairo, Oct. 21.

Political quarters here regard it as not unlikely that the Nahas Pasha Cabinet will offer its resignation, since the appointment of Ali Maher to the post of King's Cabinet Chief was made without consulting the Cabinet. The Cabinet look upon this as a definite slap in the face and are none too pleased about it.—
Transocean.

HOUSE ADJOURNED

London, Oct. 21.

In the House of Commons, the Government motion for adjournment was carried by 204 votes to 111.

The Labour Party had earlier on decided to vote against the motion as a protest against the foreign policy of the Government in regard to Spain and China.—
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DAILY SHARE QUOTATIONS

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22				FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22			
Buyers	Sellers	Price	Volume	Buyers	Sellers	Price	Volume
Hanks							
1,570	80	H.K. Banks	1,585	295	213	213	213
213	213	Do. (London)	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Chartered Banks	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Mercantile Bks. "A"	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Do. "C"	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Bank of East Asia	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	N. C. & S. Banks	213	213	213	213	213
Insurance							
213	213	Canton Insurance	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Union Insurance	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Underwriters	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	H.K. Fire	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	International Assoc. S.	213	213	213	213	213
Shipping							
213	213	Douglas	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Steamships	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Indo-China (pref.)	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Do. (def.)	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Shells	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Waterways	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Mining	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Kailans	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Rails	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Venezuela Gold Flds.	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	H.K. & K. Wharves	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Providents (old)	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Do. (new)	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	H.K. & W. Docks	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Shanghai Docks S.	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	New Engineering S.	213	213	213	213	213
Lands, Hotels, and Buildings							
213	213	H.K. Hotels	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	H.K. Lands	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Do. 4% Debentures	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Shanghai Lands	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Metropolitan Lands	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	H.K. Estates	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	China Do.	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Do. Debentures S.	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Humphreys	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	China Estates	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Cotton Mills	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Shaw Cotton Mills	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Do. (new)	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Wing On Textiles S.	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Ewo Cotton Rls. S.	213	213	213	213	213
Public Utilities							
213	213	Tramways	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Peak Tram (old)	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Do. (new)	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Star Ferries	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Yamauk Ferries	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	China Lights (old)	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Do. (new)	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	H.K. Electric	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Macao do	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Sandakan Lights	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Telephones (old)	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Do. (new)	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	China Buses	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Tramways	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Do. (pref.)	213	213	213	213	213
Industrials							
213	213	Caldock, (old) S.	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Magnum (pref.) S.	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Canton Iron	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Cement	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Ropes	213	213	213	213	213
Miscellaneous							
213	213	Dairy Farms	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Ch. Estates	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Constructions (old)	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Do. (new)	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Loan Crowfords	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Nanyang Tobacco	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Succors	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Watsons	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	S. C. Enterprises	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Ca. G. 5 1/2% Bonds	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	H.K. Gov. 4% Bonds	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Do. 3 1/2%	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Wallace Harper	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	H.K. Wing On	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Shai Do	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Vibro Piling	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Marsmanns Ir. v. (Lon.)	213	213	213	213	213
213	213	Wm. Powells	213	213	213	213	213

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(British Wireless Service)

	Oct. 20	Oct. 21
Paris	146-13/32	146-7/32
Geneva	21.501	21.50
Berlin	12.333	
Athens		
Milan	94-3/16	94-3/16
Copenhagen		
Stockholm		
Shanghai		
New York	4.95-9/16	4.95
Amsterdam		8.95
Vienna		
Prague	142-9/16	
Madrid		
Lisbon		
Hong Kong		
Bombay		
Montreal	4.954	
Brussels	29.362	29
Yokohama		
Belgrade		
Monte Video		
Rio		
Bucharest		
Silver (Forward)	19-15/16	19 1/2
Silver (Spot)	3 1/4 101-7/16	3 1/4 101 1/2
War Loan		

Closing Quotations

October 22, 1937.

On LONDON:	
Telegraphic Transfer	1/32
Bank Bills, on demand	
Credit, four months	1/32
On SHANGHAI:	
On Demand	103
On SINGAPORE:	
On Demand	124
On JAPAN:	
On Demand	108
On INDIA:	
Telegraphic Transfer	1/32
Bank no. demand	

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

The interest noted towards the end of last week continued during the present one, and at the close of the latter has broadened to a certain extent.

Although enquiry in the speculative section is still on a very minor scale, support for investments is distinctly better, and prices have improved, in consequence. The volume of business has, however, been disappointingly low, owing to the narrowness of the market.

In the sterling section, Banks recovered to \$1580.00, but Unions were to be had at \$520.00.

In Manila, rates are much the same as at the end of the previous week, neither has any variation been recorded during the period.

BUSINESS DONE DURING THE WEEK

Hong Kong Bank, \$1570. \$1580.
Union Insurance, \$522.
Wharves, \$112. \$110.
Docks, \$284. \$284.
Providents (Old), \$2.024. \$2.05.
Providents (New), 30 cts.
Hotels, \$5.05. \$5.10. \$5.20.
Lands, \$234. \$204. \$204.00.
Tramways, \$13.35. \$13.45.
Star Ferries, \$80.
Electric, \$524. \$53. \$534.
Cements, \$12.15. \$12. \$12.35.
Dairy Farms, \$244.
Watsons, \$4.
Marsmanns H.K. 4/9

CHANGES (3.15 p.m.) CLOSING QUOTATIONS

BUYERS
Docks, \$27.
Providents (Old), \$2.024.
Providents (New), 30 cts.
Hotels, \$5.15.
Lands, \$204.
Ferries, \$804.
Y. Ferries, \$234.
China Lights (Old), \$11.40.
China Lights (New), \$11.10.
Electric, \$534.
Macao Electric, \$184.
Telephones (Old), \$254.
Watsons, \$44.
SALES
Wharves, \$110.
Hotels, \$5.20.
Cements, \$124/35.

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS

Silver prices dropped 1/16 yesterday for both deliveries, the quotations being 19 15/16 for Ready and 19 7/8 for Forward. Silver advices reported India as being small sellers. The market was steady. After the official fixing the market was idle. American Silver was quoted at 44 3/4 for Spot.

The London-New York cross-rate was quoted at 495.37. New York-London was quoted at 495.5/16.

MARKET

STERLING
There were sellers at 1/3 for near and Forward, buyers at 1/3 1/32 for Cash-January and probably 1/3 February.

U.S. DOLLARS
There were sellers at 31 October, 30 15/16 November-January, buyers at 31 1/16 Cash and 31 November-January.

SHANGHAI DOLLARS
Sellers at 105 1/8, buyers probably at 105 1/4 for Spot.

SHANGHAI MARKET
There were sellers of Sterling at 1/3 17/64, buyers at 1/2 9/32 for Spot. U.S. Dollars, sellers probably at 29 15/32, buyers at 29 1/2 for Spot.

IN THE AFTERNOON
The market was quiet in the afternoon.

STERLING
The market closed with sellers at 1/3 October-February, buyers at 1/3 1/32 for any delivery.

U.S. DOLLARS
The market closed with sellers at 31 October, 30 15/16 November-January.

THE KING'S GIFT OF A VILLAGE HALL

Work has begun on the concert hall and reading room at Piltcham, a village on the King's estate at Sandringham, which his Majesty is giving for the use and enjoyment of the estate workers and their families. It will cost over £1,000.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

(Through Reuter's Service)

QUOTATIONS

New York, October 22.

	High	Low	Close	Change
New York Cotton—Dec.	8.36	8.38	8.31	1/16 up
New York Rubber—Sept.	16.14	16.08	16.08	00 off
Chicago Wheat—Sept.	1.04	0.98	0.98	unch.
Chicago Corn—Sept.	0.88	0.84	0.84	1/8 up
Winnipeg Wheat—Oct.	1.12	1.08	1.08	1/8 up
Silver—Official	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	unch.

1936/7	High	Low	Close	Change
124.40 124.70 50 Industrial	134.85	137.83	135.43	.92 up
64.46 64.60 80 Rail	34.65	36.28	35.08	2.38 up
37.34 37.80 80 Utilities	21.55	22.75	22.43	.78 up
106.69 103.15 40 Bonds	94.39	95.29	95.29	.90 up
82.44 82.88 11 Commodity Index	88.95	88.95	88.95	.07 off

Business Done:—3,640,000 shares.

Stocks	Oct. 20	Oct. 21
Adams Express	104	111
Allis Chalmers	43	44
Amer. Can.	90	91
Amer. Car & Foundry	254	261
Amer. Cyanamid	44	41
Amer. & For. Power	25	26
Amer. & For. P. of	204	22
Amer. Locomotive	344	344
Amer. Metals	134	134
Amer. Radiator	24	25
Amer. Rolling Mill	574	58
Amer. Smelting	30	31
Amer. Steel P. dries	1524	1551
Amer. Sugar	72	74
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	114	122
Amer. Tobacco "B"	304	312
Amer. Waterworks	434	454
Anaconda Copper	244	234
Atchafalpa, T. & S. Fe.	10	104
Atlantic Refining	9	10
Atlas Corp.	10	104
Auburn Motors	9	10
Baldwin Locomotive	124	134
Baltimore & Ohio	144	15
Barnsdall Oil	494	504
Bentley Aviation	214	21
Bethlehem Steel	204	21
Boeing Airplane	28	29
Borden Co.	104	111
Briggs Manufacturing	36	37
Brooklyn-Manhattan	1024	1094
Trans	84	81
Case, J.I.	224	24
Canadian Pacific	47	484
Celanese Corp.	684	674
America	70	78
Cerro de Pasco	444	46
Certain-Tied P. dries	94	91
Chesapeake Corp.	12	2
Chesapeake & Ohio	374	38
Chrysler Corp.	28	294
Columbia Gas & El.	10	104
Columbia 6% "A" pf.	47	494
Commercial Credit	314	32
Commercial Solvents	514	524
Commonwealth & S.	44	41
Commonwealth	32	

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s.s. "PREUSSEN" for Dairen, Taku, Yokohama, Kobe, Moji ... 5th Nov.

HOMEWARD SAILINGS

m.v. "RHEINLAND" for Mars, Rotterdam, Hamburg ... 28th Oct.
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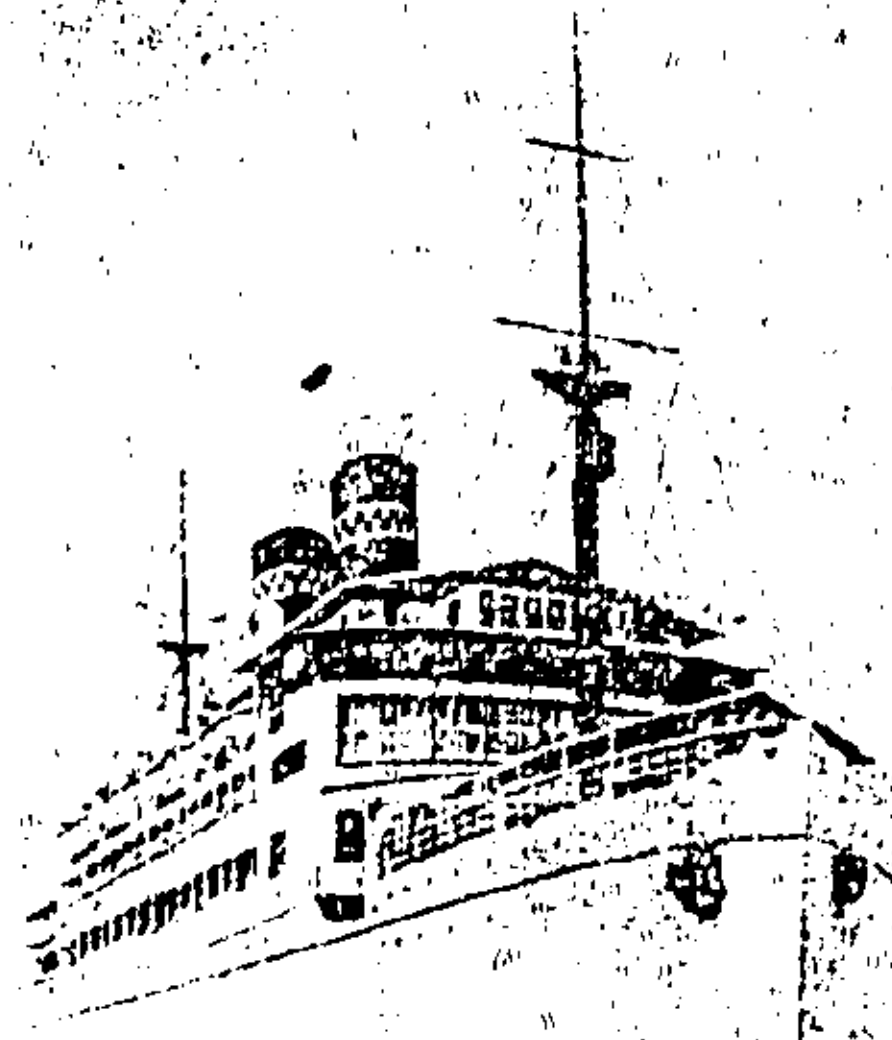
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PARIS

Call-letters of the Station:—
Wavelength: 19.65 metres T.P.A. 2.
Wavelength: 25.24 metres T.P.A. 3.
Wavelength: 25.60 metres T.P.A. 4.
Wavelength: 25.24 m.—11.885 Kc.

7 a.m. Radio-Journal of France (French News). 7.20 a.m. Gramophone Records. 7.30 a.m. Leading Press Articles. 7.45 a.m. Gramophone Records. 9 a.m. News in French. 9.30 a.m. News in English. 9.40 a.m. News in Italian. 9.50 a.m. Gramophone Records. 10 a.m. Close down.

Wavelength: 19.68 m.—11.243 Kc.
11 a.m. Concert. Relayed from Nice. 11.35 a.m. Gramophone Records. 11.45 a.m. Talk on French Events (In Jugo-Slav) by Mr. Dragul-Nicolitch. 12 noon. News in English. 12.15 p.m. Concert Relayed from Montpellier. 12.45 p.m. Gramophone Records. 1 p.m. Concert Relayed from Toulouse. 1.30 p.m. News in French. Colonial Market Prices. 2 p.m. Message from Paris by Mr. F. Porche. 2.10 Judicial Talk by M. Henri Delmont. 2.20 p.m. Gramophone Records. 2.30 p.m. Variety Entertainment. 3 p.m. Concert with the Seupel Vocal Quartet. 4 p.m. Close Down.

Wavelength: 25.24 m.—11.885 Kc.
5.15 p.m. News in French. Market Prices, Rates of Exchange. 5.45 p.m. News in Arabic. 6 p.m. Concert Relayed from Limoges. 6.30 p.m. Concert Relayed from Nice. 6.50 p.m. Colonial Talk by Mr. P. Tetau. 7 p.m. Relay of Radio-Journal of France (French News). 7.30 p.m. News in French. Rates of Exchange. 8.10 p.m. News in English. 8.20 p.m. News in Italian. 8.30 p.m. Relay. 10.30 p.m. Colonial Market Prices. 10.45 p.m. News in Portuguese. 11 p.m. Close Down.

Wavelength: 25.60 m.—11.729 Kc.
11.15 p.m. Concert Relayed from Radio-Paris. 12.15 a.m. News in French. Market Prices, Rates of Exchange. 12.40 a.m. News in Spanish. 12.50 a.m. News in Portuguese. 1 a.m. Talk by Mr. Archinard (in English). 1.15 a.m. Close Down. 3 a.m. Gramophone Records. 4 a.m. News in French. Market Prices, Rates of Exchange. 4.45 a.m. Gramophone Records. 5.45 a.m. News in German. 6 a.m. Close Down.

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D.J.A. 31.35m. (95.60 Kc.)
D.J.B. 19.74m. (15.200 Kc.)
D.J.E. 16.89m. (17.780 Kc.)
D.J.N. 31.45m. (95.40 Kc.)
D.J.Q. 19.63m. (15.280 Kc.)
1.05 p.m. Call (German, English). German Folk Song. 1.10 p.m. Week-end Concert. 2 p.m.

PHILIPPINE MINING NEWS

Mindanao Mother Lode produced P127,191.54 in concentrates during its first month of operation, September. In addition to concentrates, gold bullion was produced, but the value of the month's output is not as yet available.

Securities and Exchange commission is about to act on the application for permit to sell securities filed by Ceramic Industries of the Philippines, Surveyor's Syndicate, Inc. Go Cang Dio and Co. Inc., and Royal Masbate Gold Mines, Inc. Any person who may have objection to the granting of license to these companies may file his objection in writing with the commission as soon as possible, preferably on or before October 19, 1937.

News in German. 2.15 p.m. Week-end Concert (continued). 2.50 p.m. Greetings to our listeners. 3 p.m. News and Economic Review in English. 3.15 p.m. To-day in Germany. Sound Pictures. 3.30 p.m. Now we dance! In the interval: Light Entertainment. 5.00 p.m. Concert of Light Music. 5.30 p.m. News and Economic Review in German. 5.45 p.m. From research in German history and folklore: The German proverb. 6 p.m. Radio skit. 7 p.m. Concert of Light Music. 8 p.m. News in English. 8.15 p.m. Concert of Light Music (continued). 8.55 p.m. Greetings to our listeners. 9 p.m. News and Economic Review in German. 9.15 p.m. Dance music. 10 p.m. News and Economic Review in English and Dutch. 10.15 p.m. To-day in Germany. Sound Pictures. 10.30 p.m. Seamen's Yarns. 30 minutes of yarns, spun by Kurt Vetter. 11 p.m. Strange and Wonderful Thoughts of a Music Lover. Revelations concerning a Concert Visitor, by Paul Burkhard. 11.45 p.m. From research in German history and folklore: The German proverb. Midnight. Sign "H" (German, English).

HOLLAND-INDIA

Call letters: PCJ. Wavelengths 19.71 m. and 31.53 m.; Frequencies 15220kc. and 9590kc.

Wavelength 16.83 m.
Phoel-programme for the Netherlands Indies.
13.25. National anthem and opening-announcement.
13.30 Meeting of the Phoel-Club.
13.50 Radio-review of Youth Memories.
14.15 Microphone debutants.
14.25 Radio-review of Youth Memories (cont'd).
14.40. Daily News Bulletin.
14.500 News from the Carlton Hotel, Amsterdam.
15.20 Close down and national anthem.

San Antonio Furacale Gold Mines, Inc. under process of incorporation, is offering its shares for public subscription. The company will explore and develop 50 full size gold mineral lode claims in San Antonio, Camarines Norte. It is capitalized at P1,000,000, divided into 100,000,000 shares at a par value of P.01 a share.

The board of trustees are Jose M. Delgado, president; Miguel Morales, vice president and general manager; Gervacio Garcia, secretary; Mrs. Felipa G. Vda. de Atienza, treasurer; Tomas Dizon, Eduardo A. Barreto, Mariano M. Lazatin, Filomeno O. Gana, Jacinto Valenzuela and Carlos Balce, members. Gervacio Garcia and Sotomero Abrera are the company's counsel. The corporation has its offices at 420 Rizal Avenue.

State To Control Cotton Plantations

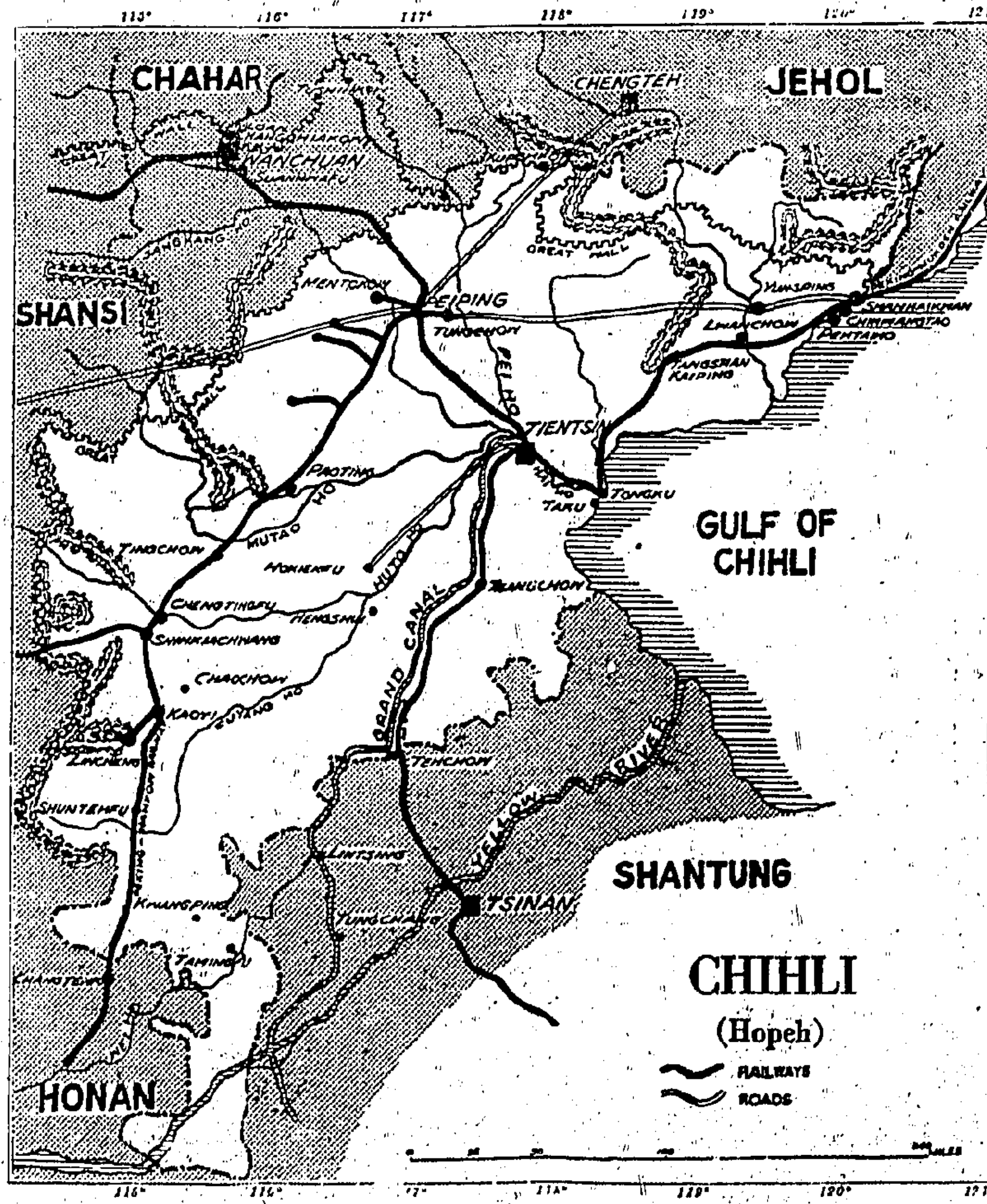
Rome, Oct. 21.
A decree laying down that certain districts in Italian East Africa be allotted to the cultivation of cotton, and that their exploitation should be entrusted to industrial and agricultural organizations well supplied with the technical and financial requirements, has been issued. The plantations will be under State control.

GIJON CAPTURE AFTERMATH

Salamanca, Oct. 21.
The radio station here which only yesterday was broadcasting reports of the Red government, sent the following message out at 1.45 p.m. to-day:
"The nationalists of Gijon have risen against the Reds and have restored the town to the Spanish government."
The flight of the Red leaders was followed by scenes of the greatest enthusiasm.

SYRIAN ARABS INDIGNANT

Resent Detention Of Grand Mufti.
Cairo, Oct. 21.
Tension in Syria is increasing hour by hour as the result of the indignation felt by the Arab population at the attitude of the French authorities towards the Grand Mufti whose freedom of movement has been seriously hampered.



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MANILA

Via Manila, Singapore, Penang, Colombo, Bombay, Suez Canal, Naples, Genoa and Marseilles.
Pres. Monroe 6 p.m. Oct. 25th
Pres. Adams 8 a.m. Nov. 7th
Pres. Harrison 8 a.m. Nov. 21st
Pres. Folk 8 a.m. Dec. 3th
Pres. Pierce 8 a.m. Dec. 18th
Pres. Van Buren 8 a.m. Jan. 2nd

Pres. Monroe 6 p.m. Oct. 25th
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FROM UNITED KINGDOM
VIA SINGAPORE

are hereby notified that their Cargo will be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, where it will be at Consignees' risk and subject to Terms and Conditions of Storage at Holt's Wharf. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Godown on and after 22nd Oct.

Optional Cargo will not be landed here, unless Notice has been given prior to Vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 28th Oct., 1937, will be subject to Rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 27th Oct., 1937, at 10 a.m., by our Surveyors Messrs. Goddard and Douglas.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All claims must reach us before the 21st Nov., 1937, or they will not be recognized.
No Insurance will be effected.
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

22nd October 1937.

MAERSK LINE

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

THE M.V. "KNUTE NELSON"
having arrived, from New York and Ports of call, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk into the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's godowns at Kowloon, where delivery may be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Optional Cargo will not be landed here, unless Notice has been given 48 hours prior to vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 28th Oct., 1937, will be subject to Rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 27th Oct., 1937, at 10 a.m., by our Surveyor Capt. Walter C. Weston.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All claims must reach us before the 21st Nov., 1937, or they will not be recognized.
No Insurance will be effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JEBSEN & CO., Agents.

Hong Kong, 21st Oct., 1937. [6880]

£688,976 ESTATE

Professor's Gift To Oxford
Colonel Frederick Gascoigne, late Royal Horse Guards and Yorkshire Hussars, Lotherton Hall, Yorkshire, one of the Gordon Relief Force, left £688,976 (net personally £489,950). Estate Duty £197,706 has been paid.

Professor Edwin Elliot, Bardwell-road, Oxford, Emeritus Professor of pure Mathematics at Oxford, left a £25,848. net personally £25,381. He bequeathed £25,000, or one half of the residue of the property (whichever is the less), to St. Edmund Hall, Oxford.

CONSIGNEE NOTICES

RICKMERS LINE

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

THE S.S. "BERTRAM RICKMERS"

having arrived from Hamburg and Ports of call, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk into the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's godowns at Kowloon, where delivery may be obtained as soon as the goods are landed.

Optional cargo will not be landed here, unless notice has been given 48 hours prior to vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the 28th Oct., 1937, will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 27th Oct., 1937, at 10 a.m., by our Surveyors Messrs. Goddard and Douglas.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All claims must reach us before the 21st Nov., 1937, or they will not be recognized.
No Insurance will be effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JEBSEN & CO., Agents.

Hong Kong, 21st Oct., 1937. [6881]

CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

THE BEN LINE STEAMERS, LTD.

From LEITH, MIDDLESBRO', ANTWERP, LONDON, AND STRAITS.

THE S.S. "BENGLOE"

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., whence, and/or from the wharves, delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 28th Oct., 1937, will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underigned on or before the 7th Nov., 1937, or they will not be recognized.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 21st Oct., 1937, at 9 a.m., by Messrs. Carmichael & Clarke.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by W. R. LOXLEY & Co. (CHINA) Ltd., Agents.

Hong Kong, 17th Oct., 1937.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHANGHAI	"KINGCHOW" ... On 23rd Oct. 6 p.m.
AMOI, SWATOW & SINGAPORE	"ANKING" ... On 25th Oct. 8 p.m.
SHANGHAI direct	"SINKIANG" ... On 25th Oct. 6 p.m.
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KALGAN" ... On 27th Oct. 3 p.m.
SWATOW, FOOCHOW, THINGTAO, CHIAFOO & TIENTSIN	"HOIHOW" ... On 27th Oct. 3 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"KINGYUAN" ... On 27th Oct. 5 p.m.
SHANGHAI	"TSINAN" ... On 27th Oct. 6 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"SHANTUNG" ... On 29th Oct. 10 a.m.
HAIPHONG	"SOOCHOW" ... On 30th Oct. 5 p.m.
SWATOW(?) & SHANGHAI	"SZECHUEN" ... On 31st Oct. 10 a.m.

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Agassiz, B. & S., October 25.

Antiochus, B. & S., November 22.

Ashura, B. & S., Oct. 26.

Bellerophon, B. & S., October 24.

Bhutan, P. & O., October 23.

Burgundian, B. & S., Oct. 23.

Carthage, P. & O., Oct. 23.

Conte Verde, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 1.

Crenor, J.C.J. Line, Nov. 2.

Deucalion, B. & S., November 21.

Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Oct. 27.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., November 4.

Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., November 3.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., November 3.

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FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN

Amoy.

Hai Lee, Thoresen's, Oct. 24.

Anking, B. & S., October 25.

Kingyuan, B. & S., Oct. 27.

Shirala, B.I. (Apar), October 28.

Tilawa, B.I. (Apar), November 11.

Chafoo.

Chakung, Jardine's, Oct. 22.

Hoihow, B. & S., Oct. 27.

Leesang, Jardine's, November 2.

Dairen.

Burgundian, J.C.J. Line, Oct. 23.

Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 30.

Sarpedon, B. & S., Nov. 6.

Tjisak, J.C.J. Line, Nov. 8/7.

JAPAN (Direct).

Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., October 23.

Agamemnon, B. & S., Oct. 23.

Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, October 23.

Suisang, Jardine's, October 23.

Bhutan, P. & O., Oct. 23.

Burgundian, J.C.J. Line, Oct. 23.

Shirala, B.I. (Apar), October 28.

Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., October 29.

Ranchi, P. & O., October 29.

Malaya, E.A. Co., November 1.

Neptune, B. & S., November 2.

Tricolor, Thoresen's, Nov. 2.

Eurylochus, B. & S., November 3.

Pres. Cleveland, Dollar's, Nov. 3.

Tanda, P. & O., Nov. 4.

Katori Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 6.

Sarpedon, B. & S., Nov. 6.

Behr, P. & O., November 8.

Tilawa, B.I. (Apar), November 11.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., November 12.

Philoteles, B. & S., Nov. 15.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Nov. 25.

Shanghai.

Kungchow, B. & S., Oct. 23.

Sinkiang, B. & S., October 25.

Kwai-sang, Jardine's, Oct. 25.

Kingyuan, B. & S., Oct. 27.

Tsinan, B. & S., October 27.

Hoihow, B. & S., Oct. 27.

Leesang, Jardine's, November 2.

Sarpedon, B. & S., Nov. 6.

Swatow.

Hai Lee, Thoresen's, Oct. 24.

Anking, B. & S., October 25.

Kwai-sang, Jardine's, Oct. 25.

Tsinan, B. & S., October 27.

Hoihow, B. & S., Oct. 27.

Leesang, Jardine's, November 2.

Sarpedon, B. & S., Nov. 6.

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FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East and West

Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., October 23.

Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., October 30.

Neptuna, Gibb's & N.Y.K.'s, Nov. 3.

Batavia.

Tjisak, J.C.J. Line, November 2.

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